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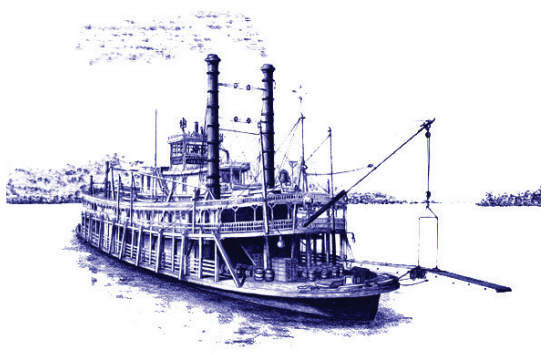

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Health legislation could mean more funds locally

BY BOB DEMAREE

With legislation currently advancing through the Indiana General Assembly regarding public health and preventative health services, Health Administrator Lindsey Wyne talked about the potential impact on Jefferson County at Thursday's Commissioners meeting.

"It's one step up for us, but it's not a huge leap" said Wyne, noting confidence that the Jefferson County Health Department will be able to meet the requirements with legislation also providing more funding for the health department.

With Indiana ranking low in public health, the Governor's Public Health Commission was established in August 2021 and charged with examining the strengths and weaknesses of Indiana's public health system and making recommendations for improvements. The commission, which included Madison Mayor Bob Courtney in its membership, released its report in July 2022, resulting in the filing of Senate Bill 4 currently advancing through the Indiana General Assembly.

Under the legislation, counties who accept enhanced funding for their health departments from the state government must meet higher quality standards designed to better address Indiana's public health shortcomings.

The cost for implementing the legislation has not yet been determined by the Indiana General Assembly but Gov. Eric Holcomb has pursued $120 million for fiscal year 2024 and another $227 million in fiscal year 2025 to increase public health services across the state.

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STROLLING IN CHURCH HISTORY

Bob Demaree

A group of Catholic nuns, all teachers at St. Joseph Academy in Walton, Kentucky, were taking the Historic Churches Walking Tour in downtown Madison this week on a beautiful Wednesday afternoon — including a stop at Prince of Peace Catholic Church established in 1851 as St. Mary's Catholic Church. With their involvement in education, the Sisters were intrigued by the signage in the adjacent parking lot that was once the site of St. Mary's School. The school, dedicated Sept. 23, 1877, was closed at the end of 1966 when students moved into Pope John XXIII Elementary School on Madison's hilltop. The school building was torn down in 1982.

State inspectors visit jail construction site

BY BOB DEMAREE

With construction of the Jefferson County Sheriff's Office and Criminal Justice Center progressing at a steady pace toward the facility's projected opening later this year, two state jail inspectors were on site earlier this week.

"They weren't there to fuss or pick on anything. They were just looking at staff, and saying, 'You ought to tweak this and that,' " Commissioner Bobby Little said. "And now is the time to do that" while contractors are still on site to make those adjustments.

Little said the inspectors "were very helpful."

At Tuesday's County Council meeting, Little suggested that plans will be made for a public tour of the 300-bed, $45 million jail before it is fully operational and inmates are moved from the current jail in downtown Madison.

"I think we need to have one when it's released to us before anyone is in there, and let everybody see what kind of quality, efficient facility it is going to be," said Little.

Council member Dwayne May asked how the current jail will be used once the new facility opens. Little said that while those plans are still being formulated, he thinks it's going have to be utilized as some form of juvenile correction or detention "because you're looking at millions of dollars to rehab or do anything." Additionally, part of the current jail building will be needed as a holding facility when inmates are transported to court appearances. "There are several possibilities that we are pursuing at this time," he said.

County Sheriff Ben Flint informed the council that contract changes in the medical care provider for the jail and for the jail food service are being considered.

"Both of these are expected to fall within the parameters and the guidelines already within our budget," Flint said. With the medical contract, there's a potential for 24-hour coverage once the county moves into the new jail, which he said is beneficial because many drug-related and driving-under-the-influence of alcohol arrests most often happen at night. "It will give medical staff the ability to be there when these issues transpire," and could decrease liability on the Sheriff's Department and the county, he said.

Flint said he will bring information to the next Council meeting about hiring a company to update the Sheriff's Department's policy and procedure manual that was last done in 2010. "We're over 13 years overdue on those," he said, adding that "a lot of case law, legal updates and statutory changes" have taken place. Additionally, he said the Sheriff's Department is looking at a matching grant for body-worn cameras for officers, and the software that goes with operation and maintenance.

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Election board votes for limited primary

Only Madison District 1 on ballot

BY BOB DEMAREE

With only one contested race in the May municipal primary, the Jefferson County Election Board voted unanimously Friday to hold primary voting only for that office.

The contested race is in the Republican primary for Madison City Council District 1 where incumbent Patrick Thevenow is being challenged by Lisa Ferguson and those will be the only names on the ballot. However, any registered voter in that council district can vote in the primary by declaring they want to vote in the Republican primary.

This year's primary election will be on Tuesday, May 2. All voters in precincts 1-1 and 1-2 (both held at American Legion Post 9) my vote for that office, while some voters in precincts 2-1 and 3rd ward (held at Lydia Middleton Elementary School) are also eligible in that primary. There will be early voting for City Council District 1 at the Jefferson County Courthouse from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Saturday, April 30 and 8 a.m. to noon on Monday, May.

Republicans have candidates running unopposed for all other offices on the ballot including incumbent Mayor Bob Courtney. Democrats have unopposed candidates that include Dan Dattilo for Mayor and three City Council seats with vacancies they have the option of filling after the primary.

There will be cost savings by not staging a full election. County Clerk Tabatha Eblen said the county's cost for the 2019 municipal primary was $18,737.30 with the city of Madison paying 75% and the county paying 25%. Eblen anticipates that a full primary would have been more costly than that with increases in several areas and higher poll worker pay, higher paper costs, higher postage costs and more. She is hoping that a savings of $10,000 will be realized by having voting in just that one council district.

While the Election Board voted unanimously to only just the one primary for Council District 1, Merritt Alcorn, who represents Democrats, had some reservations.

"To me the argument against this is that people put their name on the ballot, and if we don't allow them to have their name on the ballot for an election then we're sort of discouraging that to some extent, and I'm not sure that's a great idea. I respect people who put their name on the ballot, and there's some reward for doing that," he said.

"From the standpoint of getting people to run for offices, I think it's helpful to see their names on the ballot," Jefferson County Democratic Chair John Hutchinson said. "I also don't want to spend any more money than we have, so I am caught between that."

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MONDAY'S HOLIDAY

All offices for the city of Madison, town of Hanover and Jefferson County government will all be closed Monday in observance of the Presidents' Day holiday.

The Madison closing on Monday includes the water office and transfer station.

Also, trash, recycling and compost will be delayed one day the week of Feb. 20-24.

There will also be no mail delivery on Monday, Feb. 20.

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OBITUARIES

Mary Newby

Mary Jean Webster Newby, 70, of Jackson, Tennessee, and formerly of Bedford, Kentucky, died Monday, Feb. 13, 2023, at Jackson Madison County General Hospital after battling many illnesses.

She was born on June 26, 1952, in Kenton County, Kentucky, to Charles and Gertrude McCormick Webster.

She enjoyed flowers, family gatherings and her grandchildren.

Survivors include a daughter, Merie Melendez of Jackson; three sons, Roy L. Newby, Henery Newby and Will Newby, all of Bedford; a brother, Sherman Sorreal of Cynthiana, Kentucky; and 20 grandchildren and 29 great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents, and her husband, Leroy Newby, on Jan. 30, 1988.

Funeral services will be at 1 p.m. on Tuesday, Feb. 21, at Ransdell Funeral Home in Bedford. Visitation will be from 10 a.m. until the time of services on Tuesday.

Online condolences, www.ransdellfuneral.com.

Alanna Smith

Alanna Maria Reyner Smith, 69, of Patriot, Indiana, died Saturday, Feb. 11, 2023, at St. Elizabeth Dearborn Hospital in Lawrenceburg, Indiana.

She was born in Batesville, Indiana, on Feb. 8, 1954, to Barbara Ann DuVall Reyner and Harry Louis Reyner. She grew up in the Patriot community and attended school in Switzerland County, Indiana. She married James Oliver Smith on Aug. 17, 1991, in Patriot. She was a member of Rising Sun First Baptist Church and liked spending her time doing crafts — especially cross stitching and diamond art — loved animals and enjoyed seeing the birds that came to her feeders. She also enjoyed the outdoors and tending to her flowers and garden.

Survivors include her sister, Teresa Coy of Osgood, Indiana; her brother, Paul Reyner of Patriot; a nephew, five nieces, her great nieces and great nephews, an uncle, an aunt and many other family members.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband of 23 years on Dec. 3, 2014; and a nephew.

Funeral services were Friday, Feb. 17, 2023, at the Markland Funeral Home in Rising Sun, Indiana, with burial at Eastview Cemetery in Patriot.

Memorial donations may be made to Rising Sun First Baptist Church or St. Jude Children's Research Hospital through the funeral home. Online condolences and memorials, www.marklandfuneralhome.com.

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WEATHER

Sunrise: 7:27 a.m.
Sunset: 6:23 p.m.
Temperature: High 34, Low 22, Mean 28.8, Deficit 11.3
Precipitation since last published: 1.47
Precipitation, February 2023: 1.84
Precipitation, 2023: 6.97
Barometer: 30.09, Rising
River Level at Clifty Creek: 428.9, Rising
Forecast: Sunday: Partly cloudy High 57/Low 43; Monday (Presidents Day): Partly cloudy High 53/Low 39; Tuesday: Mostly cloudy High 56/Low 44.

BIRTHDAYS

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- Paul Stone

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- Carla Goins

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Human Relations Commission elects officers

BY BOB DEMAREE

The city of Madison's Human Relations Commission met for first time this year Wednesday, selecting Jessica McAlister as the chair and Katy Hadley as the vice chair for a second consecutive year.

Tony Schroeder was elected secretary to replace Bill Johnson, who was attending his final meeting. Johnson, pastor of First Christian Church for more than nine years, has served as secretary since joining the commission in 2018. Johnson will be retiring from the church on April 23, and moving to Indianapolis.

"It's been a pleasure to be part of this," said Johnson. "I'm grateful to have been a part of this."

With Johnson resigning, there are two positions to fill on the commission because the term of Season Jackson also ended. Others on the nine-member commission are Shane Brunner, I'Esha Cornelius, Shirley Kloepfer and Roland Newman.

Last July, the commission formed two work groups— a policy and procedures committee and an ordinance review committee — that are continuing to meet in an effort to make updates.

McAlister has reached out to other human rights commissions including Evansville, Bloomington, Anderson and Columbus and hopes to seek advice from them in creating guidelines that better address housing discrimination issues that might exist or occur in Madison.

Switzerland County reports 22nd COVID-19 death

1st in the county since October 2022

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Another death related to COVID-19 was reported this week by the Indiana Department of Health in Switzerland County — the community's first since October 2022

The death, which now brings Switzerland County's total during the pandemic to 22, was also the 189th coronavirus-related death in the Courier area counting the 165 in Jefferson County, 54 in Carroll County and 48 in Trimble County.

There were 36 new deaths attributed to COVID-19 throughout Indiana in the last week, a decline from the previous week when there were 52. Overall, 24,811 have been recorded in Indiana during the pandemic. Meanwhile, Kentucky reported its 18,000th death this week

In the last week, Jefferson County reported 23 cases of COVID-19 while Switzerland County had just four case — not including those who tested at home without reporting. For the State of Indiana, there were 4,846 new cases of COVID-19 in the last week, a slight increase over the previous week when there were 4,420. Overall, there have been 2,038,725 total cases in Indiana during the pandemic.

While the community spread level remains low in Jefferson and Switzerland counties, four nearby counties — Bartholomew, Decatur, Jackson and Jennings — are rated at a high level this week by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. The only other county rated high in Indiana is Randolph County bordering Ohio in central Indiana.

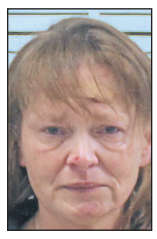
Seventy-one counties in the state are rated at a low community spread including Marion County, the state's highest populated county that includes the state capital of Indianapolis. There are 16 counties that are rated at medium, which are located mostly in southwestern Indiana except for four in the central part of the state.

Search warrant nets 2 arrests Tuesday

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Madison Police served a search warrant for narcotics at a residence in the 100 block of Miles Ridge Road Tuesday that led to the arrest of a local man and a woman.

Kyle Wayne Ashcraft



Dianna Phillips

During the search, Madison Police seized methamphetamine, marijuana and paraphernalia associated with the use of drugs.

Kyle Wayne Ashcraft, 32, Madison, was charged with Possession of Methamphetamine and Maintaining a Common Nuisance, both Level 6 felonies.

Dianna Elizabeth Phillips, 48, Madison, was charged with Possession of Methamphetamine and Maintaining a Common Nuisance, both Level 6 felonies, and Possession of Paraphernalia, a Class C misdemeanor.

Madison Det. Kyle Cutshaw led the investigation, assisted by Officers Kayla Taylor-Moore and Graham Heffelfinger, and Chief John Wallace.

NEWS OF RECORD

JEFFERSON COUNTY JAIL

LODGINGS

Feb. 15

James Cardwell, 29, Jeffersonville, Indiana, for Strangulation, Criminal Confinement and Domestic Battery, all Level 6 felonies. Bond to be set at initial hearing.

Brandon Ray Stucker, 38, Hanover, Possession of Methamphetamine, a Level 6 felony; Driving While Suspended-Prior Suspension Within 10 Years, a Class A misdemeanor; Possession of Paraphernalia, a Class C misdemeanor; and on a Jefferson County parole violation warrant. Bond to be set at initial hearing.

Curtis Allen Wells, 48, Dupont, Indiana, for Invasion of Privacy, a Class A misdemeanor. Bond to be set at initial hearing.

Feb. 16, 2023

Jesse Ray Atkins, 34, Hanover, on a Jefferson County arrest warrant (drug possession, resisting law enforcement, disorderly conduct charges). Bond $2,500 cash.

Travis Lee Colber, 39, Madison, for Public Intoxication Alcohol/Drugs. Released on own recognizance.

Daniel Maurice Hoskins, 44, Madison, for Possession of Marijuana, a Class A misdemeanor; Visiting a Common Nuisance-Legend Drug, a Class B misdemeanor; and Possession of Paraphernalia, a Class C misdemeanor. No bond.

Aram David Meeks Smith, 29, Madison, for Possession of Methamphetamine and Maintaining a Common Nuisance, both Level 6 felonies; and Possession of Paraphernalia, a Class C misdemeanor. Bond $1,000 cash.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

JEFFERSON COUNTY

Feb. 15, 2023

Kendra Auxier and Maurice C. Auxier (deceased) to Kendra Auxier, 3648 West Ohio River View Road, Hanover.

Terry Thomas and Cynthia Thomas to Tanner Thomas and Kimberly Thomas, 834 Banta Avenue, Madison.

Feb. 16, 2023

Michael Anthony to Racheal B. Houston and Richard D. Houston, 732 West Third Street, Madison

Steve Elsner to Elliott Elsner, 2310 Flint Street, Madison.

Phillip Morris Buchanan Jr. and Corina S. Buchanan to Bridgette Beach, three parcels totaling 108.7 acres at 9943 East State Road 5, Vevay.

LOTTERY

INDIANA
Hoosier Lotto: 11-14-15-16-27-45 (2/15). Next Estimated Jackpot: $10.5 million. Next Drawing (2/18).
Daily 3: 1-3-7 SB: 7
Daily 4: 8-4-6-2 SB: 7
Cash Five: 12-14-18-37-44 (2/16)
Cash 4 Life: 14-17-27-28-48 CB: 4 (2/16)

KENTUCKY
Pick 3: 2-4-1
Pick 4: 8-1-9-9
Cash Ball: 3-14-28-32 CB: 20 (2/16)
Kentucky 5 Extra: 5-10-14-15-29 (2/16)
Lucky For Life: 6-11-40-42-45 LB: 10 (2/16)

MEGAMILLIONS
23-24-35-40-43 MB: 1, MP x3 (2/14). Next Jackpot: $84 million. Next Drawing (2/17)

POWERBALL
31-32-54-60-63 PB: 12, PP: 4 (2/15). Next Estimated Jackpot: $73 million. Next Drawing (2/18)

POWERBALL DOUBLE PLAY
25-30-44-52-66 PB: 22 (2/15). Next Estimated Jackpot: Up to $10 million. Next Drawing (2/18)

Let Us Pause To Honor the Memory of
Mr. Frederick "Fred" Warren Krenke

Mr. Frederick "Fred" Warren Krenke, age 79, of Charlestown, Indiana formerly of Madison entered this life on January 11, 1944 in Bedford, Indiana in Lawrence County. He was the son of the late, Warren Victor and Lydia Virginia Armstrong Krenke. He graduated in 1960-1961 having been the last class of Hanover High School and played on the last Bulldogs high school team and graduated from Southwestern High School where he played on the first Rebel's high school team. Fred enjoyed appearing in Some Came Running with his wife when it was filmed in Madison. He then attended Hanover College, then Lindsey Wilson College and graduated from the University of Tennessee where he became an avid Tennessee Volunteers fan. Fred was inducted into the United States Navy on March 19, 1963 serving during the Vietnam era. He rose to the rate of a Navy Hospital Corpsman and was honorably discharged on April 21, 1964. On August 31, 1968 he was united in marriage to Barbara Sue Lane at St. John United Church of Christ in downtown Madison. This happy union of 54 years was blessed with a son, Patrick and a daughter, Kara. Fred and Barbara had resided in Charlestown since 1979. He began a career in education having taught science at Charlestown High School and Middle School. He also had taught at Bullitt County High School and IU Southeast. He had taught from 1979-2010 and worked for two years with Amazon and then a six year career with the Census Bureau. He loved to coach and had participated in volleyball, basketball, chess and golf. Also he enjoyed acting at the Rose Island Play House and had served as the treasurer. He was a referee and umpire and served where-ever needed. He was proud to have received his Real Estate license, Pharmacy Tech License, Phlebotomy license and Principal's license. He was a member of the Stony Point Christian Church in Charlestown, a past master of the Blazing Star Lodge No. 226 F. & A.M., member of the Charlestown Lions Club, and the Sellersburg American Legion Post No. 204. Fred loved working, serving others, feeding the squirrels and the chickens, he was a fan of the Trinity Shamrocks, and liked to go fishing earlier in life. Fred died on Wednesday, February 15, 2023, at 8:21 p.m. at the Baptist Health-Floyd in New Albany, Indiana with his loving family at his side after a battle with cancer.

A LOVING FAMILY

Fred will be missed by his loving wife of 54 years, Barbara Krenke of Charlestown, Indiana; his loving son, Patrick Krenke and his friend, Karen Shofner of Jeffersonville, Indiana; his grandchildren, Cameron James Suddick, Carter Jaxson Suddick, and Skyeler Mireles; his great grandchildren, Isla Mireles and Ezra Mireles; his brother in law, Bill Lane of Madison, Indiana; his son in law, Rick Suddick of Louisville, Kentucky; his nieces, Amanda Walston and Cassie Bonacci; 1-great niece and 3 great nephews. He was preceded in death by his father, Warren Victor Krenke, died April 23, 1946, his mother, Lydia Virginia Armstrong Krenke Bellamy, died February 16, 1978, his daughter, Kara Sue Krenke, died August 20, 2015, and his grandson, Mason Warren Krenke, died April 5, 1994.

FUNERAL CEREMONY

Funeral services will be conducted Monday, February 20, 2023, at 1:30 p.m., at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre, 325 Demaree Drive in Madison, Indiana. Interment will follow in the Indiana Veterans Memorial Cemetery,1415 North Gate Road in Madison, Indiana.

VISITATION

Friends may visit Sunday from 5:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. and Monday from 11:30 a.m. until the time of service at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre, 325 Demaree Drive in Madison, Indiana.

MASONIC SERVICE

A Masonic service will be conducted on Sunday at 7:30 p.m. by the Blazing Star Lodge No. 226 F. & A.M. at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre.

MILITARY HONORS

A final salute and military honors will be provided by the Major Samuel Woodfill Post No. 9 of the American Legion.

MEMORIAL EXPRESSIONS

Memorial contributions may be made to Trinity High School in honor of his grandchildren. Cards are available at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centres of Madison and Hanover. Online condolences, remembrances and memorials can be left at www.morgan-nay.com

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OBITUARIES

Charlie Zebrowski

Charles Geneva Zebrowski, 99, of Fort Myers, Florida, and formerly of Madison, Indiana, died Wednesday, Jan. 25, 2023, in Fort Myers.

She was born on March 6, 1923, in Kingsport, Tennessee, to Lucy Sudie Hickam Neeley and Charles Scott Neeley, who died unexpectedly before she was born. She was raised by her mother and their extended families, graduating from Dobyns-Bennett High School in Kingsport in 1941 and St. Thomas School of Nursing in Nashville as part of the US Cadet Nursing Corp in 1947. She completed neonatal specialty training in New Orleans and returned to Kingsport in 1948 to work on the labor and delivery ward at Holston Valley Medical Center. She married Frank Edward Zebrowski on Oct. 9, 1948, and they moved often throughout the Midwest for his work — including a stop in Madison in the 1980s when he worked at the Clifty Creek Power Plant in Madison — while raising their five children. She continued to work in nursing until they retired to Ft Myers in 1986. She had participated in the Harvard Nurses Health Study, was a sports enthusiast with a soft spot for the Chicago Cubs, a lifelong gardener, an accomplished cook who nurtured her sourdough for decades, an avid reader, skilled bridge player, and a regular solver of the New York Times crossword in ink. She enjoyed time with family and friends, telling stories and sharing meals.

Survivors include three daughters, Kathy Sack of North Reading, Massachusetts, Mary Beth Shutes of Tucson and Teresa Zebrowski of Boulder, Colorado; two sons, F. Charles Zebrowski of Washington D.C. and Tim Zebrowski of Beverly Hills; and four grandchildren, four great grandchildren and an aunt.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband; and a sister, Margaret Peg Matherly.

A celebration of life service will be held at the Cypress Cove Yacht Club in Ft. Myers with lunch at 11:30 p.m. on Sunday, March 5. Mass will be held at 9 a.m. on Monday, March 6, at St. Cecilia's Church in Ft. Myers. Cremation was chosen and inurnment will be in the Memorial Garden at St. Cecilia.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Cypress Cove Native Plant Garden Fund; c/o Melody Desilets; 10200 Cypress Cove Drive; Ft. Myers, FL 33908.

Hazel Stamper

Hazel Ann Hawkins Stamper, 44, of Vevay, Indiana, died Wednesday, Feb. 15, 2023, at her residence.

Arrangements will be announced by the Haskell & Morrison Funeral Home in Vevay, www.haskelland-morrison.com.

Fred Krenke

Frederick "Fred" Warren Krenke, 79, of Charlestown, Indiana, and formerly of Madison, Indiana, died Wednesday, Feb. 15, 2023, at Baptist Health-Floyd in New Albany, Indiana, after a battle with cancer.

He was born on Jan. 11, 1944, in Bedford, Indiana, to Warren Victor and Lydia Virginia Armstrong Krenke. He graduated in 1960-1961 in the last class at Hanover High School and played for the final Bulldogs team and the first class at Southwestern High School where he played on the first Rebels' team. He enjoyed appearing with his wife in the motion picture "Some Came Running" when it was filmed in Madison. He attended Hanover College, then Lindsey Wilson College and graduated from the University of Tennessee where he became an avid Volunteers fan. He was inducted into the US Navy on March 19, 1963, serving during the Vietnam era. He rose to the rate of Navy Hospital Corpsman and was honorably discharged on April 21, 1964. He married Barbara Sue Lane on Aug. 31, 1968, in Madison and they had a son and a daughter. They had resided in Charlestown since 1979 where he began a career in education and taught science at Charlestown High School and Middle School. He also taught at Bullitt County High School in Shepherdsville, Kentucky, and IU Southeast in New Albany in a career that spanned from 1979 to 2010. He worked for two years with Amazon and then six years with the US Census Bureau. He loved to coach and had participated in volleyball, basketball, chess and golf. He enjoyed acting at the Rose Island Play House and had served as the treasurer. He was a referee and umpire and served wherever needed. He held a Real Estate license, Pharmacy Tech License, Phlebotomy license and Principal's certificate. He was a member of the Stony Point Christian Church in Charlestown, a past master of the Blazing Star Lodge No. 226 F. & A.M., a member of the Charlestown Lions Club and the Sellersburg American Legion Post No. 204. He loved feeding the squirrels and chickens, was a fan of the Trinity Shamrocks, and enjoyed fishing earlier in life.

Survivors include his wife of 54 years, Barbara Krenke of Charlestown; his son, Patrick Krenke of Jeffersonville, Indiana; three grandchildren, Cameron James Suddick, Carter Jaxson Suddick and Skyeler Mireles; and two great grandchildren, two nieces, a great niece, three great nephews and other family.

He was preceded in death by his parents; his daughter, Kara Sue Krenke, on Aug. 20, 2015; and a grandson, Mason Warren Krenke, on April 5, 1994.

Funeral services will be at 1:30 p.m. on Monday, Feb. 20, at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre in Madison. Interment will follow in the Indiana Veterans Memorial Cemetery in Madison. Visitation is 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. on Sunday, Feb. 19, and 11:30 a.m. until time of services on Monday at the funeral home. A Masonic service will be conducted at 7:30 p.m. on Sunday by the Blazing Star Lodge No. 226 F. & A.M. at the funeral home.

A final salute and military honors will be provided by the Major Samuel Woodfill Madison Post No. 9 of the American Legion.

Memorial contributions may be made to Trinity High School in honor of his grandchildren through the funeral home. Online condolences and memorials, www.morgan-nay.com.

Kristoffer Knotts

Kristoffer Keith Knotts, 38, of Hanover, Indiana, died Wednesday, Feb. 8, 2023, at Norton King's Daughters' Health in Madison, Indiana.

He was born on July 11, 1984, in Madison, to Dennis and Malinda Amick Knotts. He was raised in the Jefferson County, Indiana, community and resided there all his life. Although not expected to live past the age of five, the care he received from his parents far exceeded that and he was a 2006 graduate of Southwestern High School who enjoyed food and all music — especially listening to his radio. He loved listening to his grandfather whistle. He was a member of North Madison Christian Church.

Survivors include his parents of Hanover; his brother, Eric D. Knotts of Anchorage, Alaska; his maternal grandmother, Karen Sue Keating Amick of Madison; his maternal grandmother, Rose Poling of Martinsville, Indiana; and his aunts and uncles, his niece and nephew, his cousins and many other relatives.

He was preceded in death by his sister, Mia Ann Knotts, on Nov. 15, 1998; his maternal grandfather, Delma Keith Amick, on Oct. 21, 2022; his paternal grandfather, Dale E. Knotts, on Nov. 21, 1990; his paternal grandmother, Theresa Ann Knotts, on Oct. 14, 2018; and three uncles.

A graveside service will be held at 3 p.m. on Sunday, Feb. 26, at the Crown Hill Cemetery in New Washington, Indiana. Arrangements entrusted to Morgan & Nay Funeral Centres of Madison and Hanover.

Memorial contributions may be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital through the funeral home. Online condolences and memorials, www.morgan-nay.com.

Beverly Garner

Beverly Ann Bedwell Garner, 61, of Madison, Indiana, died Wednesday, Feb. 15, 2023, at her residence in Madison.

She was born on May 14, 1961, in Madison, to Charles Ebert Bedwell and Viola Ruth Schrock Bedwell and raised in the Madison community where she lived all of her life. She had a son and worked for some time for Midwest Tube in Madison and then for Waffle House in Scottsburg, Indiana, before becoming disabled. She enjoyed shopping, jewelry and crafting.

Survivors include her mother and her companion of nine years, Boyd Stewart Jr., both of Madison; her son, Perry Gammons of Madison; her sisters, Linda Bledsoe and Patricia Sparks, both of Madison and Pam Montgomery of Hanover, Indiana; her good friend, James Bare of Madison; and three nephews and several aunts and uncles.

She was preceded in death by her father.

Graveside services will be at 11 a.m. on Monday, Feb. 20, at the Marble Corner Cemetery on Michigan Road in Madison with interment to follow there. Visitation is 10 a.m. to 10:45 a.m. on Monday at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre in Madison. Following visitation, there will be a procession to the cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Beverly Garner Remembrance Fund through the funeral home. Online condolences and memorials, www.morgan-nay.com.

Mary Macon

Mary Hackney Macon, 77, of Bedford, Kentucky, died Saturday, Feb. 11, 2023, at the home of her son, Mike, in Bedford.

She was born on Nov. 15, 1945, in Madison, Indiana, to Willard and Ruth Johnson Hackney. She was a computer programmer and loved spending time with her grandchildren and great grandchildren and finding new things to cook or bake for them, especially her chicken and dumplings. She loved playing the piano and recalling beautiful songs from her childhood and Mt. Pleasant United Methodist Church.

Survivors include two sons, Mark Macon and Mike Macon, both of Bedford; and five grandchildren and five great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents; a sister, Linda Newby; and three brothers, Earl Hackney, Robert Hackney and Sam Hackney.

No public services will be held at this time.

Arrangements entrusted to Ransdell Funeral Home in Bedford. Online condolences, www.ransdellfuneral.com.

In loving Memory of Charlie Zebrowski

Charles Geneva Zebrowski, 99, of Fort Myers, Florida, and formerly of Madison, Indiana, died Wednesday, Jan. 25, 2023, in Fort Myers. She was born on March 6, 1923, in Kingsport, Tennessee, to Lucy Sudie Hickam Neeley and Charles Scott Neeley, who died unexpectedly before she was born. She was raised by her mother and their extended families, graduating from Dobyns-Bennett High School in Kingsport in 1941 and St. Thomas School of Nursing in Nashville as part of the US Cadet Nursing Corp in 1947. She completed neonatal specialty training in New Orleans and returned to Kingsport in 1948 to work on the labor and delivery ward at Holston Valley Medical Center. She married Frank Edward Zebrowski on Oct. 9, 1948. While raising their five children, they moved often throughout the Midwest for his work — including a stop in Madison in the 1970-80s when he worked at the Clifty Creek Power Plant in Madison. She continued to work in nursing until they retired to Ft Myers in 1986. She had participated in the Harvard Nurses Health Study, was a sports enthusiast with a soft spot for the Chicago Cubs, a lifelong gardener, an accomplished cook who nurtured her sourdough for decades, an avid reader, skilled bridge player, and a regular solver of the New York Times crossword in ink. She enjoyed time with family and friends, telling stories and sharing meals.

Survivors include three daughters, Kathy Sack of North Reading, MA, Mary Beth Shutes of Tucson, AZ and Teresa Zebrowski of Boulder, CO; two sons, F. Charles Zebrowski of Washington D.C. and Tim Zebrowski of Beverly Hills, CA; and five grandchildren, four great-grandchildren; and two nieces.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband; and a sister, Margaret Peg Matherly.

A celebration of life service will be held at the Cypress Cove Yacht Club in Ft. Myers with lunch at 11:30 p.m. on Sunday, March 5. Mass will be held at 9 a.m. on Monday, March 6, at St. Cecilia's Church in Ft. Myers. Cremation was chosen and inurnment will be in the Memorial Garden at St. Cecilia.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Cypress Cove Native Plant Garden fund Cypress Cove in honor of Charlie Zebrowski ; c/o Melody Desilets; 10200 Cypress Cove Drive; Ft. Myers, FL 33908.

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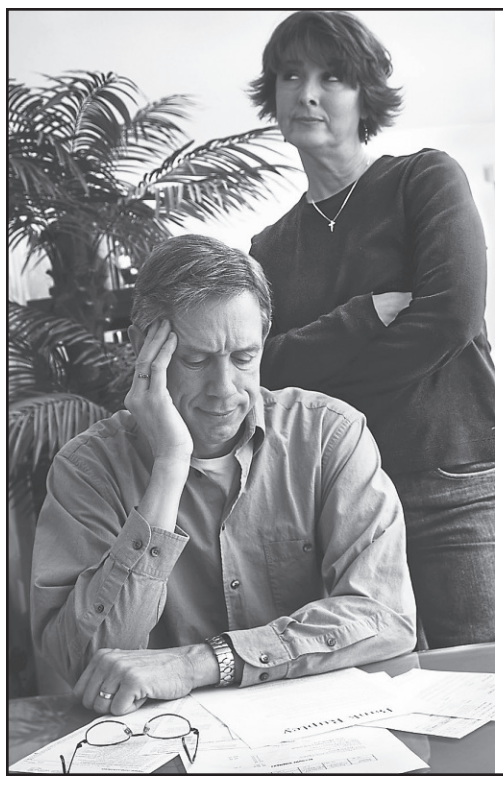

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BEETLE BAILEY

I PROMISED THE CHAPLAIN I WOULD DO THE COLLECTION
OKAY, BUT I WANT YOU IN FULL GEAR FOR THE HIKE RIGHT AFTER
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IT'S UNUSUAL, BUT MAYBE THEY'LL GIVE MORE
G+M WALKER
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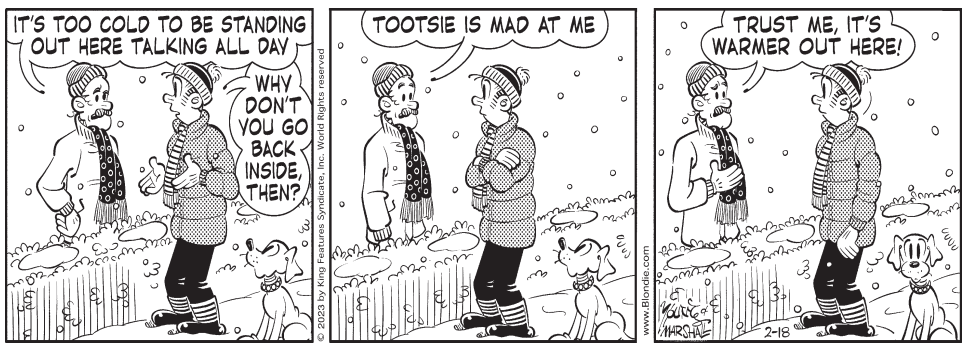
IT'S TOO COLD TO BE STANDING OUT HERE TALKING ALL DAY
WHY DON'T YOU GO BACK INSIDE, THEN?
TOOTSIE IS MAD AT ME
TRUST ME, IT'S WARMER OUT HERE!
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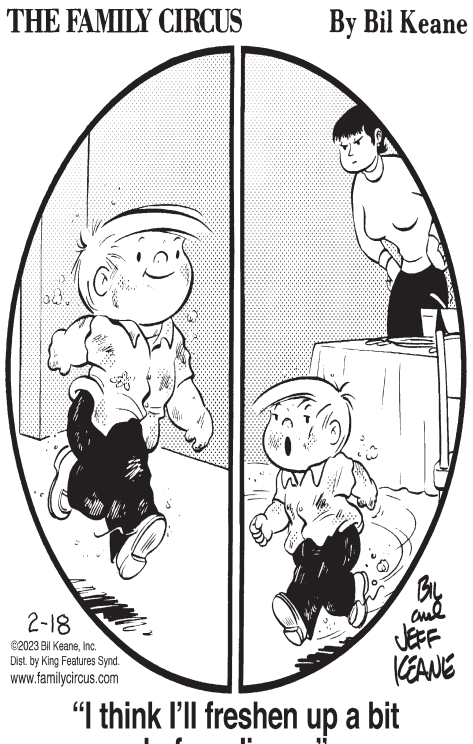
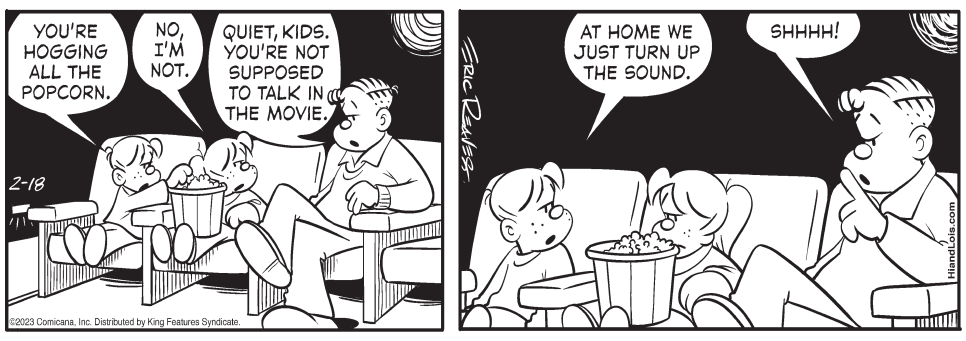


"I think I'll freshen up a bit before dinner."

DENNIS THE MENACE

"EVEN WITH THE SCARF...FOR SOME REASON, HE STILL LOOKS COLD TO ME."

HI & LOIS


YOU'RE HOGGING ALL THE POPCORN.
NO, I'M NOT.
QUIET, KIDS. YOU'RE NOT SUPPOSED TO TALK IN THE MOVIE.
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AT HOME WE JUST TURN UP THE SOUND.
SHHHH!
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BABY BLUES

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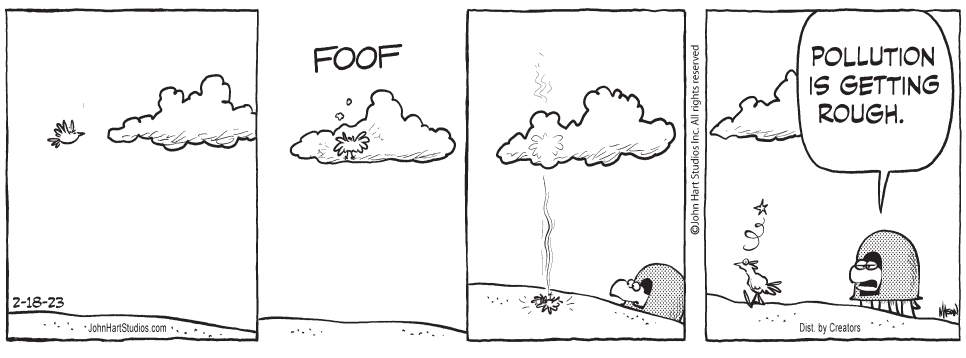

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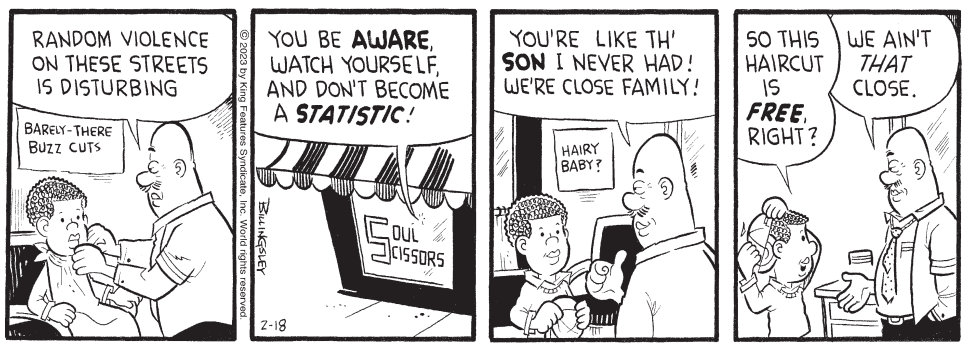
RANDOM VIOLENCE ON THESE STREETS IS DISTURBING
BARELY-THERE BUZZ CUTS
YOU BE AWARE, WATCH YOURSELF, AND DON'T BECOME A STATISTIC!
SOUL SCISSORS
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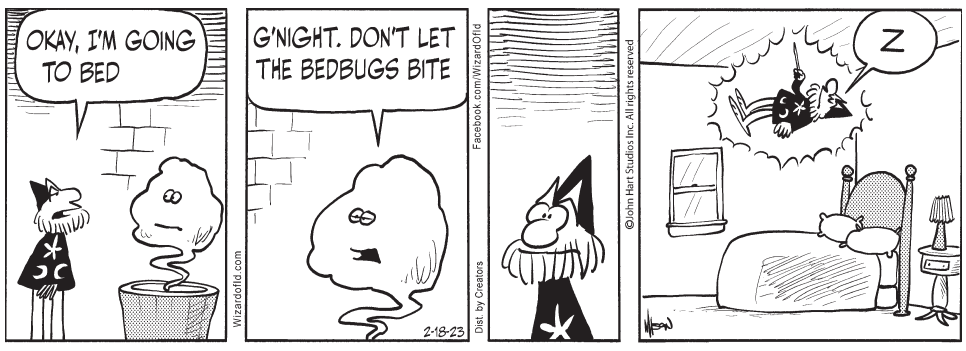
YOU'RE LIKE TH' SON I NEVER HAD! WE'RE CLOSE FAMILY!
HAIRY BABY?
SO THIS HAIRCUT IS FREE, RIGHT?
WE AIN'T THAT CLOSE.

WIZARD OF ID



ZITS

LOOK, JEREMY! I FOLDED YOUR CLOTHES INTO A NEAT, TIDY STACK!
WHY WOULD YOU DO THAT?
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CALL ME AN OPTIMIST.
A FATALIST OPTIMIST. YOU ROCK, MOM.
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DILBERT

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FIRE UP MY JET!
I HAVE NEVER BEEN MORE AFRAID.

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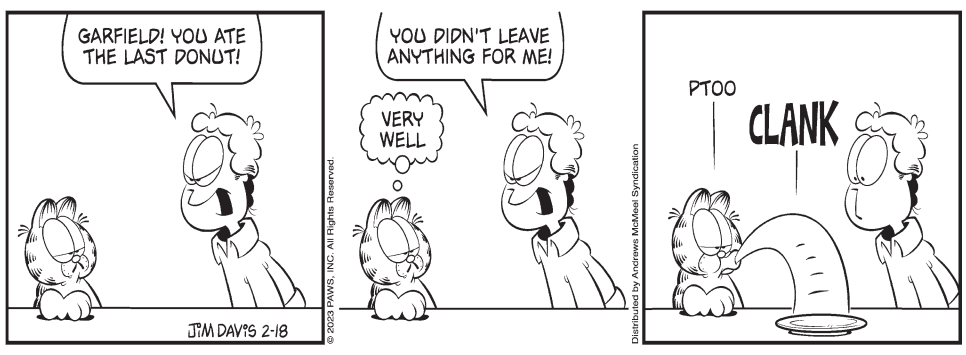

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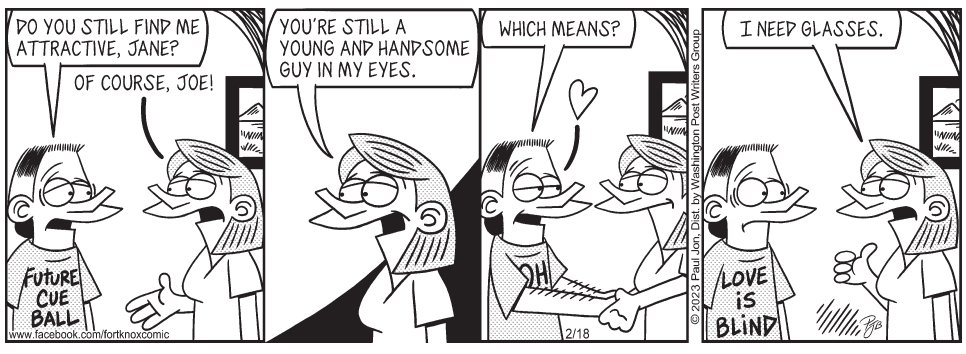
DO YOU STILL FIND ME ATTRACTIVE, JANE?
OF COURSE, JOE!
FUTURE CUE BALL
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YOU'RE STILL A YOUNG AND HANDSOME GUY IN MY EYES.
WHICH MEANS?
OH
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I NEED GLASSES.
LOVE IS BLIND

PICKLES

OPAL, I'M SORRY ABOUT YOUR SWEATER,
MY SWEATER? WHAT ABOUT MY SWEATER?
OH...UH...NOTHING. DID I SAY SWEATER?
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I MEANT TO SAY SORRY ABOUT THE WEATHER! IT LOOKS LIKE A STORM'S COMING THIS WAY.
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TODAY IN HISTORY

Today is Saturday, Feb. 18, the 49th day of 2023. There are 322 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On Feb. 18, 2001, auto racing star Dale Earnhardt Sr. died in a crash at the Daytona 500; he was 49.

On this date:

In 1564, Michelangelo died in Rome at age 88.

In 1885, Mark Twain's "Adventures of Huckleberry Finn" was published in the U.S. for the first time (after being published in Britain and Canada).

In 1970, the "Chicago Seven" defendants were found not guilty of conspiring to incite riots at the 1968 Democratic national convention; five were convicted of violating the Anti-Riot Act of 1968 (those convictions were later reversed).

In 1983, 13 people were shot to death at a gambling club in Seattle's Chinatown in what became known as the Wah Mee Massacre. (Two men were convicted of the killings and were sentenced to life in prison; a third was found guilty of robbery and assault.)

In 1984, Italy and the Vatican signed an accord under which Roman Catholicism ceased to be the state religion of Italy.

In 1988, Anthony M. Kennedy was sworn in as an associate justice of the U.S. Supreme Court.

In 1994, at the Winter Olympic Games in Norway, U.S. speedskater Dan Jansen finally won a gold medal, breaking the world record in the 1,000 meters.

In 2001, veteran FBI agent Robert Philip Hanssen was arrested, accused of spying for Russia. (Hanssen later pleaded guilty to espionage and attempted espionage and was sentenced to life in prison without the possibility of parole.)

In 2003, an arson attack involving two South Korean subway trains in the city of Daegu claimed 198 lives. (The arsonist was sentenced to life in prison, where he died in 2004.)

In 2016, in what was seen as a criticism of Republican presidential candidate Donald Trump, Pope Francis said that a person who advocated building walls was "not Christian"; Trump quickly retorted it was "disgraceful" to question a person's faith. (A Vatican spokesman said the next day that the pope's comment was not intended as a "personal attack" on Trump.)

In 2020, President Donald Trump commuted the 14-year prison sentence of former Illinois Gov. Rod Blagojevich for political corruption; Blagojevich left prison hours later and returned home to Chicago. (Trump also issued pardons or clemency to former New York City police commissioner Bernard Kerik, financier Michael Milken and a long list of others.)

Ten years ago: The European Union imposed trade and economic sanctions on North Korea while condemning "in the strongest terms" the nation's latest nuclear test. Robbers stole a reported $50 million worth of diamonds from the hold of a Swiss-bound plane at Brussels' international airport; more than 30 people were later detained and some of the loot recovered.

Five years ago: "Black Panther," the Marvel superhero film from the Walt Disney Co., blew past expectations to take in $192 million during its debut weekend in U.S. and Canadian theaters. LeBron James scored 29 points and won his third NBA All-Star Game MVP award as his team beat the rival squad headed by Stephen Curry, 148-to-145.

One year ago: Spiking tensions in eastern Ukraine aggravated Western fears of a Russian invasion and a new war in Europe, with a humanitarian convoy hit by shelling and pro-Russian rebels evacuating civilians from the conflict zone. (Russia would invade Ukraine two days later.) Police arrested scores of demonstrators and towed away vehicles in Canada's besieged capital, and a stream of trucks started leaving under the pressure, raising authorities' hopes for an end to the three-week protest against the country's COVID-19 restrictions

Today's birthdays: Today's Birthdays: Singer Yoko Ono is 90. Singer-songwriter Bobby Hart is 84. Singer Irma Thomas is 82. Singer Herman Santiago (Frankie Lymon and the Teenagers) is 82. Actor Jess Walton is 77. Singer Dennis DeYoung is 76. Actor Sinead Cusack is 75. Actor Cybill Shepherd is 73. Singer Randy Crawford is 71. Actor John Travolta is 69. Actor John Pankow is 68. Game show host Vanna White is 66. Actor Jayne Atkinson is 64. Actor Greta Scacchi (SKAH'-kee) is 63. Actor Matt Dillon is 59. Rock musician Tommy Scott (Space) is 59.

BEETLE BAILEY

THERE MUST BE A BETTER WORD THAT WOULD WORK
IT'S GOOD TO SEE PLATO WRITING AGAIN
HE'S NOT WRITING
GREG+MORT WALKER
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IT'S "GOOFY"! YES!
HE'S PLAYING WORDLE

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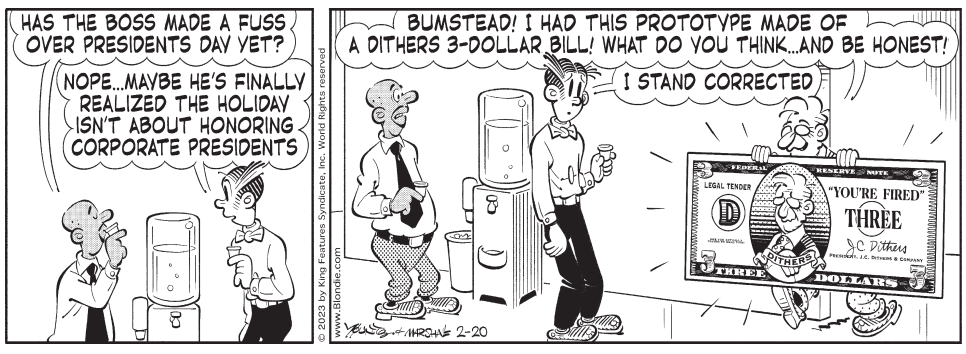
HAS THE BOSS MADE A FUSS OVER PRESIDENTS DAY YET?
NOPE...MAYBE HE'S FINALLY REALIZED THE HOLIDAY ISN'T ABOUT HONORING CORPORATE PRESIDENTS
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BUMSTEAD! I HAD THIS PROTOTYPE MADE OF A DITHERS 3-DOLLAR BILL! WHAT DO YOU THINK...AND BE HONEST!
I STAND CORRECTED
"YOU'RE FIRED"
THREE
DOLLARS
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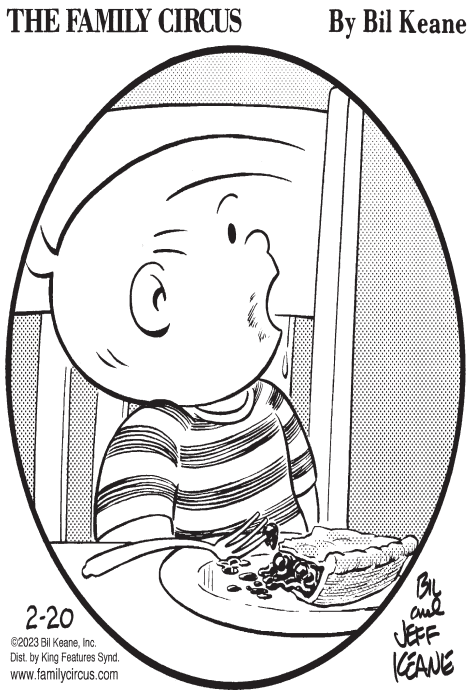
THE FAMILY CIRCUS

By Bil Keane



"I cannot tell a lie. I don't like cherry pie."

DENNIS THE MENACE

"YOU OUGHTA DO LIKE THE MOVIES AND MAKE PEOPLE PAY **BEFORE** THEY COME IN."

HI & LOIS

HAPPY "WASHINGTON AND LINCOLN'S BIRTHDAY."
IS THAT WHAT YOU CALL IT NOW?
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ERIC REYNES
"PRESIDENTS DAY" WAS STARTING TOO MANY ARGUMENTS.
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BABY BLUES

HI, HAMMIE.
UH. HI. TAMMY.
HAMMIE AND TAMMY! ISN'T THAT CUTE?
HOW MUCH WOULD IT COST TO CHANGE MY NAME?
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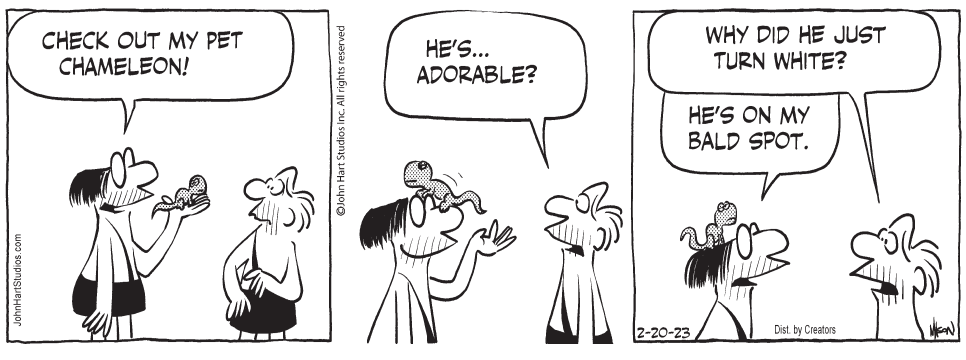

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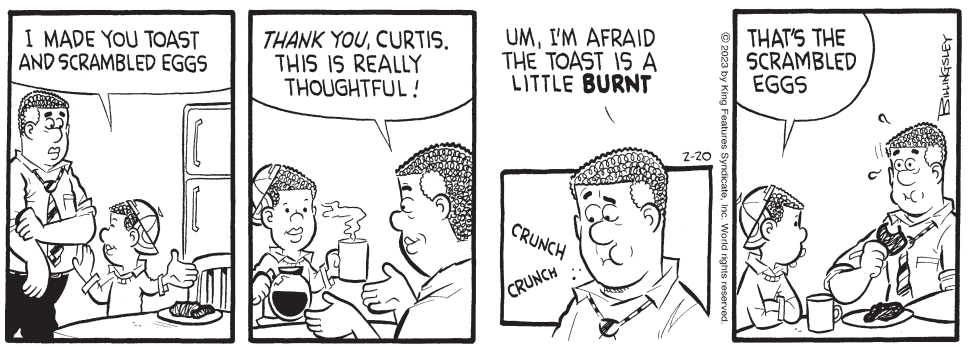
I MADE YOU TOAST AND SCRAMBLED EGGS
THANK YOU, CURTIS. THIS IS REALLY THOUGHTFUL!
UM, I'M AFRAID THE TOAST IS A LITTLE BURNT
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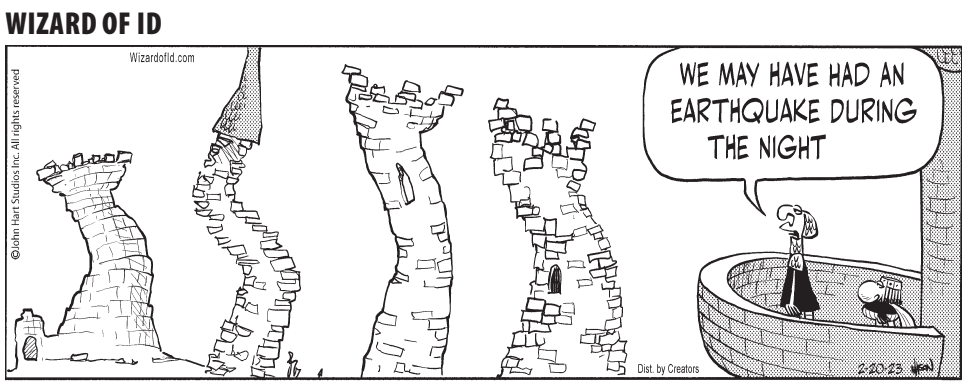
THAT'S THE SCRAMBLED EGGS
B BLUMENSELF

WIZARD OF ID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WE MAY HAVE HAD AN EARTHQUAKE DURING THE NIGHT
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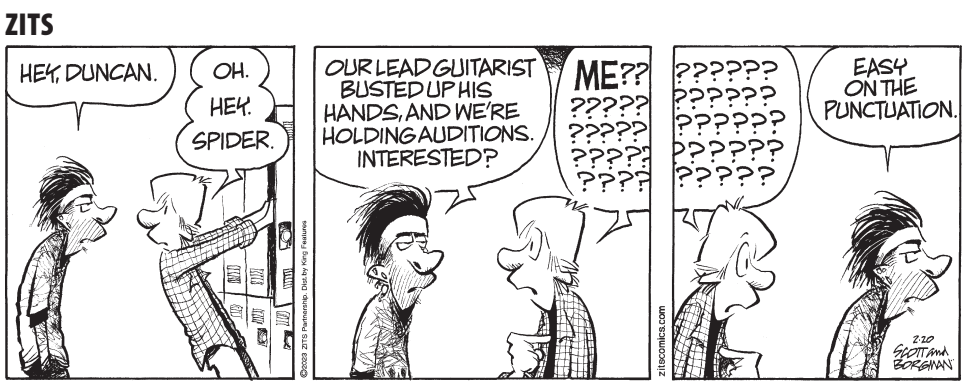
ZITS



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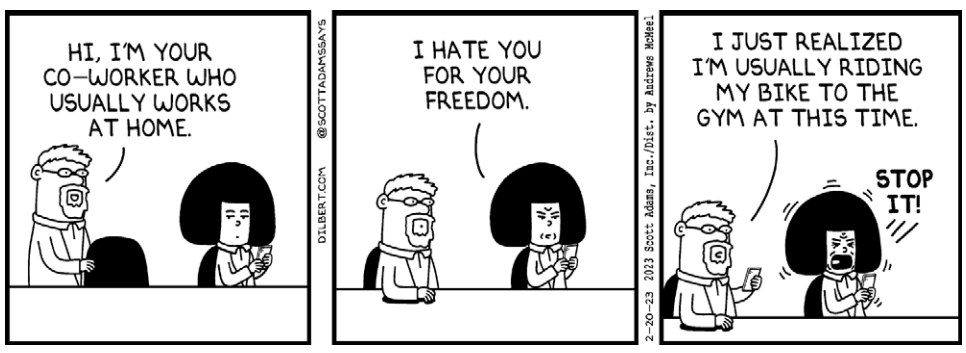
HI, I'M YOUR CO-WORKER WHO USUALLY WORKS AT HOME.
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I HATE YOU FOR YOUR FREEDOM.
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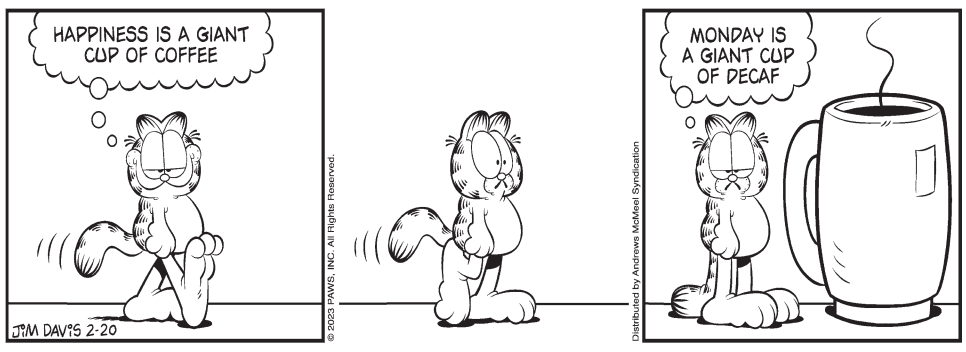
I JUST REALIZED I'M USUALLY RIDING MY BIKE TO THE GYM AT THIS TIME.
STOP IT!

GARFIELD


HAPPINESS IS A GIANT CUP OF COFFEE
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MONDAY IS A GIANT CUP OF DECAF
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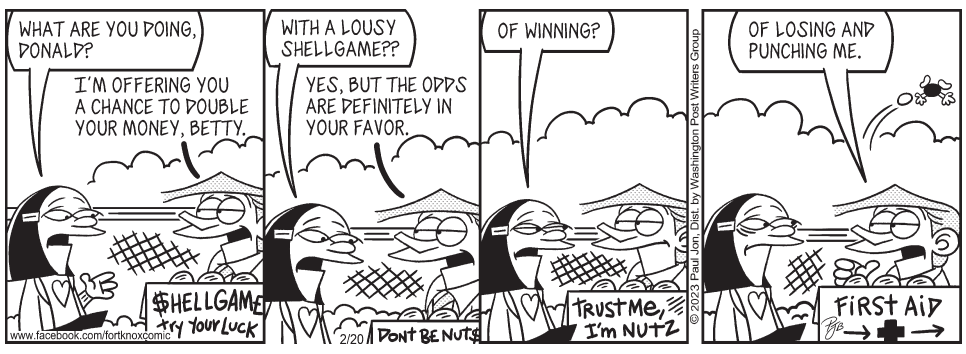
FORT KNOX


WHAT ARE YOU DOING, DONALD?
I'M OFFERING YOU A CHANCE TO DOUBLE YOUR MONEY, BETTY.
WITH A LOUSY SHELLGAME??
YES, BUT THE ODDS ARE DEFINITELY IN YOUR FAVOR.
OF WINNING?
OF LOSING AND PUNCHING ME.
$HELLGAME try your luck
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DON'T BE NUT$
Trust me, I'm NUTZ
FIRST AID
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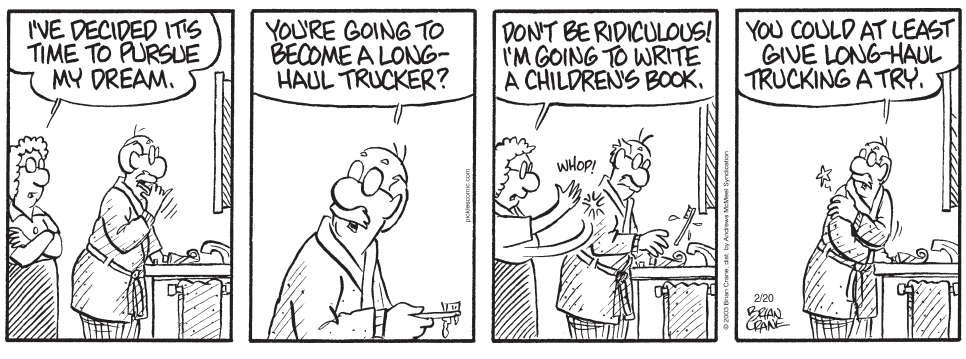
I'VE DECIDED IT'S TIME TO PURSUE MY DREAM.
YOU'RE GOING TO BECOME A LONG-HAUL TRUCKER?
DON'T BE RIDICULOUS! I'M GOING TO WRITE A CHILDREN'S BOOK.
WHOP!
YOU COULD AT LEAST GIVE LONG-HAUL TRUCKING A TRY.
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BRIAN CRANE
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TODAY IN HISTORY

Today is Monday, Feb. 20, the 51st day of 2023. There are 314 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On Feb. 20, 1962, astronaut John Glenn became the first American to orbit the Earth as he flew aboard Project Mercury's Friendship 7 spacecraft, which circled the globe three times in a flight lasting 4 hours, 55 minutes and 23 seconds before splashing down safely in the Atlantic Ocean 800 miles southeast of Bermuda.

On this date:

In 1792, President George Washington signed an act creating the United States Post Office Department.

In 1862, William Wallace Lincoln, the 11-year-old son of President Abraham Lincoln and first lady Mary Todd Lincoln, died at the White House, apparently of typhoid fever.

In 1905, the U.S. Supreme Court, in Jacobson v. Massachusetts, upheld, 7-2, compulsory vaccination laws intended to protect the public's health.

In 1907, President Theodore Roosevelt signed an immigration act which excluded "idiots, imbeciles, feebleminded persons, epileptics, insane persons" from being admitted to the United States.

In 1938, Anthony Eden resigned as British foreign secretary following Prime Minister Neville Chamberlain's decision to negotiate with Italian dictator Benito Mussolini.

In 1965, America's Ranger 8 spacecraft crashed on the moon, as planned, after sending back thousands of pictures of the lunar surface.

In 1987, a bomb left by Unabomber Ted Kaczynski exploded behind a computer store in Salt Lake City, seriously injuring store owner Gary Wright.

In 1998, Tara Lipinski of the U.S. won the ladies' figure skating gold medal at the Nagano Olympics; Michelle Kwan won the silver.

In 2003, a fire sparked by pyrotechnics broke out during a concert by the group Great White at The Station nightclub in West Warwick, Rhode Island, killing 100 people and injuring about 200 others.

In 2005, death claimed actor Sandra Dee at age 62; musical actor John Raitt at age 88; and counterculture writer Hunter S. Thompson at age 67.

In 2020, a poll by the Associated Press and the NORC Center for Public Affairs Research found more Americans expressing some concern about catching the flu than about catching the coronavirus.

Ten years ago: The Obama administration announced a broad new effort to fight the growing theft of American trade secrets following fresh evidence linking cyber-stealing to China's military.

Five years ago: Students who survived a Parkland, Florida school shooting traveled to Tallahassee to urge state lawmakers to prevent another massacre, but procedural moves in the legislature effectively halted any effort to ban assault-style rifles like the one used in the attack.

One year ago: Russia extended military drills near Ukraine's northern borders after two days of sustained shelling along the contact line between Ukrainian soldiers and Russia-backed separatists in eastern Ukraine. Ukraine's president appealed for a cease-fire. (Russia would invade four days later.)

Today's birthdays: Racing Hall of Famer Roger Penske is 86. Singer-songwriter Buffy Sainte-Marie is 82. Hockey Hall of Famer Phil Esposito is 81. Senate Minority Leader Mitch McConnell, R-Ky., is 81. Movie director Mike Leigh is 80. Actor Brenda Blethyn is 77. Actor Sandy Duncan is 77. Actor Peter Strauss is 76. Rock musician Billy Zoom (X) is 75. Newspaper heiress Patricia Hearst is 69. Actor Anthony Head is 69. Country singer Leland Martin is 66. Actor James Wilby is 65. Rock musician Sebastian Steinberg is 64. Comedian Joel Hodgson is 63. Basketball Hall of Famer Charles Barkley is 60. Rock musician Ian Brown (Stone Roses) is 60. Actor French Stewart is 59. Model Cindy Crawford is 57. Actor Andrew Shue is 56. Actor Lili Taylor is 56. Actor Andrea Savage is 50. Singer Brian Littrell is 48. Actor Lauren Ambrose is 45. Actor Jay Hernandez is 45. Actor Chelsea Peretti is 45. Country musician Coy Bowles is 44. Actor Michael Zegen is 44. Actor Majandra Delfino is 42. Actor Jocko Sims is 42. Singer-musician Chris Thile is 42. Actor-singer Jessie Mueller is 40. MLB All-Star pitcher Justin Verlander is 40. Comedian Trevor Noah is 39. Actor Jake Richardson is 38. Actor Daniella Pineda is 36. Actor Miles Teller is 36. Singer Rihanna is 35. Actor Jack Falahee is 34~

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

FOOD DISTRIBUTIONS

North Madison Christian Church

Saturday, Feb. 25 8 a.m. to 10 a.m.

A food giveaway in the church parking lot at 1499 East State Road 62. No qualifications required. Call 812-273-1601 for more information.

Salvation Army Food Bank

Mondays, Wednesdays & Fridays

Noon to 1 p.m.

331 East Main St., Madison

A food giveaway at the red door on east side of building. Bring your own bags. For more information, call 812-265-2157.

House of Hope Food Pantry

100 East Second St., Madison

Tuesdays — 5 p.m. to 7 p.m.

Fridays — 9 a.m. to 11 a.m.

A food giveaway and distribution at the Jefferson County House of Hope Food Pantry in downtown Madison. Arrive at the pantry 15 minutes prior to closing to be served.

PRIMARY

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"I think it's such a small primary with all those uncontested races, I think it's a total waste of money and manpower, and all the work involved to get the poll workers there," said Karl Eaglin, treasurer of the Jefferson County Republican Party who was representing GOP Chair Pam Crozier at the meeting. "I just think we should get by doing just the one district, and ones running for office need to get their names out."

Mindy McGee, the Republican serving on the Election Board, said that one concern she has is that if there had been a full primary there would have been "an incredibly low turnout" because of all the uncontested races, and because of that the cost savings is a good reason to only have a primary for that one contested race. "This is two people that it's going to be up to them to draw their voters, and get people to polls," she said.

McGee said she understands Alcorn's point about the significance of people's names, but noted, "Their name is on the ballot. They're running all the way through the general election."

Alcorn said he understands the cost savings but "we're talking about people's right to vote, and I think cost savings is a factor, but it's not our only driving consideration in our decision making.

"I'm hearing what is being said here about costs, and I'm fiscally conservative myself," Alcorn said. "The simplest way to save money is to not have elections" but it's important to "protect the right to vote but is this enough of a consideration vs. the cost savings."

Based on that, Alcorn felt he could support having only a primary election for the Council District 1, but maintaining early voting options is important even if it does add to the cost. McGee agreed so early voting was added for the Saturday and Monday before primary election day.

HEALTH

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Wyne said the Jefferson County Health Department already provides "a majority of the core services that they're wanting" and meets most of the needed requirements except for better categorizing and creating a few staff positions.

"As long as we have everyone's support in hiring a couple of additional people to make this work, it's a considerable amount of money" that could be coming to the county health department, she said. "I think it's good for our community," particularly because in the end the state funding will cover the additional positions.

When compared to the national average, Indiana has higher rates of tobacco use, cases of diabetes and higher maternal and infant mortality rates — all areas the public health initiative is designed to improve. As a whole, Indiana underfunds public health — the state is ranked 45th in public health funding — according the 2022 America's Health Rankings report.

"The goal is to bring every local health department in the State of Indiana up to a certain standard of care," Wyne said.

In the bill, local health departments must provide maternal and child health services as part of their core offerings. Counties who opt into the funding will report their health metrics, which will be published by the Indiana Department of Health.

While there will be requirements for additional services, Wyne said "most of the services they want added are things we already cover. We might just have to step up our game a little bit."

In other business, the Commission:

• Officially named Tricia Parker director of the Jefferson County Animal Shelter director after serving as interim director since October. "Thank you for what you've done," said Commissioner Bobby Little, noting that Parker had steered led the animal shelter to a smoother operation after more than a year of turmoil.

• Little proposed creating a countywide noise ordinance "to help curtail some of the issues we're having in the county" by setting limits on noise disturbances.

"We're not putting a damper on anybody's fun, but the neighbors will have a little recourse" if there are instances in which there might be noise disturbances.

• Awarded a bid for inspection services related to a $250,000 Owner Occupation Rehabilitation grant the county received from the Indiana Office of Community and Rural Affairs to directly fund homeowners of low-moderate income to make needed repairs on their homes. The contract was awarded to DSA Home Inspection LLC with the overall amount paying up to $4,500 for 18 home inspections. A slightly higher bid was also submitted by National Property Inspections.

• Faith Weir, the county's Veterans Service Officer, gave a year-end update on work done by the Jefferson County Veterans Service Office. She reported 2,074 claims filed for veterans and their spouses, 1,047 claims for disability, 102 veterans pensions, 201 widows pension claims, 114 county burials or head stone requests, and 100 property tax discounts. Weir said the Veterans office met with 3,449 veterans or family members — 2,232 by in-office appointments — with 1,062 walk-in visits and 155 out-of-office appointments. The total monetary benefit to Jefferson County veterans during the year was $2,110,979.60.

"The Jefferson County Veterans Service Office continues to play a key role in shaping office efficiency, accuracy and personalized services to our community's veteran's independence, as well positive financial results for our veterans and their families" said Weir. "We're grateful to our county government for the support provided to our office in our goals and efforts, and we look forward to maintaining this commitment and expanding all services to best meet the needs to the area veterans we serve."

• Appointed Dr. Scott Murphy to the Jefferson Board of Health through the end of the year to fill a vacancy.

• Approved the annual Courthouse emergency plan with no changes or additions from last year.

• Commissioner David Bramer said there will be a public hearing on the Unified Development Ordinance at 6 p.m. on Tuesday, March 7, at Ivy Tech Community College in Madison. A draft of the ordinance is available on the county website for review.

• Approved a three-year contract for the Infinity voting system maintenance agreement at $13,000 per year through Dec. 31, 2025.

SITE

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In other business at Tuesday's County Council meeting:

• County Auditor Heather Huff reported a public hearing will be needed to reestablish the cumulative voting rate due to a mandatory update by the State of Indiana that will cost $225,000. There is currently no revenue coming into that statutory fund that's for equipment updates and voting expenses.

• Huff said the Council will need to adapt a policy for recouping irreconcilable funds to meet a requirement by the State Board of Accounts. She said the child support department is getting ready to change software and its way of processing and there are irreconcilable items that have existed for more the 20 years totaling approximately $20,000. She said the policy is necessary to determine a means to reconcile those accounts. "They are overpayments and bank charges" that after all those years cannot go back to recoup.

• Approved $162,634 in additional appropriations to the county health department related to grant funding, and $7,000 to the animal shelter to pay spay and neuter/rabies bills from donations.

• Approved an ordinance on the Sheriff's department commissary that allows proceeds to be used to pay specific bills. The ordinance is required by the State Board of Accounts.

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Six Questions to Ask Your Retirement Professional

Preparing for a Successful Retirement Strategy

By Stephen Dybwad
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Preparing for a first meeting with a retirement professional can be intimidating, especially if you are a new or prospective client. The adviser will get the conversation going and ensure it is directed in the right way to have a good understanding of your financial situation and goals for the future to create an effective retirement strategy. To help you build the best approach, here are six questions that your financial adviser should be asking:

1. What? Your adviser should understand what assets you own and what debt you are carrying. It is also important to discuss how you are managing your debt regarding retirement planning. This is especially true if you still have a mortgage. Additionally, your adviser should be aware of any other income streams you will have in retirement, such as Social Security, a pension, or other qualified funds.

2. Why? It is common for people who are close to retirement to have a variety of investments that have accumulated over time. If you have assets that do not have a purpose and are not helping you reach your goals, consider switching them.

3. How? When you initially began investing, your objective was to grow your money and accumulate as much as possible. As you approach retirement, the focus shifts to distribution, finding products that can provide the income you will need to replace your paycheck, and preservation, looking for ways to reduce the risk in your portfolio.

4. When? When you retire, you will likely have multiple sources of income, such as Social Security, a pension, and your retirement savings. The order in which you start using these income streams may affect the money you receive over your lifetime and the taxes you pay every year. This takes planning not only with the assets you own but the tax liability they may create when accessed,

5. How much? It is essential to have a general budget of what you expect to spend in retirement and how that compares to your income. Consider any new interests you might pursue, such as buying an RV or any lifestyle changes you plan to make.

6. What are you missing? Your adviser should help you find the right strategies to deal with future risks such as market volatility, inflation, or higher taxes. Even if you have a good retirement strategy, you should consider legacy and long-term care planning.

Your adviser may only cover some of these topics in your first meeting, but they should be discussed as you build your retirement strategy. Be bold and ask questions or bring up any concerns. Ultimately, the goal is to create an effective retirement strategy that works for you and your needs. Call today if you have questions that need to be asked or answered.

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Cubs take care of business in 4th to beat Trinity

BY DAVID CAMPBELL

Madison's young Cubs haven't had many opportunities to close out wins this season, but when given the chance on Thursday, they were perfectly up to the task.

Madison built a 10-point lead early in the fourth quarter then fended off a late charge to beat Trinity Lutheran 54-44 in boys basketball at home in a game moved up two days from Saturday to accommodate Trinity's semistate-bound girls basketball team.

The win was just Madison's third of the season and halted a losing streak of nine games dating back to just before Christmas. But the Cubs' executed the fourth quarter like a veteran squad.

"I thought the second half was really well executed. People were saying to shoot it and our guys are looking at me and saying, 'We're not going to shoot it. We're working the clock,' " Madison coach Adam Stotts said. "I think they did a good job of handling the ball on the press and knocking down free throws at the end. We did a good job."

The Cubs have spent most of the season playing from behind and after a rough first half, found themselves trailing 23-22 going into the locker room. But a renewed third quarter gave Madison the lead and Stotts got a chance to see his team play situational basketball in the fourth.

Two free throws by Quincy Reynolds staked Madison to a 44-34 lead with 2:15 to play but Trinity answered with a quick burst to slash that lead to five (47-42) with 1:08 to go.

Rather than panic and try to score quickly, Madison stuck to its game plan and the patience paid. Reynolds drew a foul and knocked down two free throws and, after Trinity's Levi Pottschmidt hit a bucket on the other end to pull the Cougars back to within five, the Cubs' Ryder Jones went to the line and hit two more freebies.

David Campbell

Madison's Liam Murphy applies defensive pressure to Trinity Lutheran ballhandler Eli Ballard as the Cougars' Kowan Gross (20) looks to post up Madison's Elliott Kozenski (5). The Cubs fended off a late rally to beat Trinity Lutheran 54-44 Thursday at Salm Gym.

Good defense then led to a quick runout by the Cubs, who executed perfectly and were rewarded for their efforts with a three-point play by Landon True on the other end for the final margin.

Reynolds said it wasn't hard for him to resist the urge to continuing shooting with the lead knowing that a win was close at hand.

"We're up nine points with three minutes left. There's no point shooting," Reynolds said. "Just hold it and pick up the win."

Reynolds finished with a strong line of 15 points, seven rebounds, four assists and two steals but it was Jones who led the Cubs with another in a long line of impressive games recently. The 6-foot-3 junior shrugged off a rough first half and finished with a career-high double-double of 19 points on 7-of-10 shooting and 10 rebounds. He also had four steals.

"We challenged Ryder at halftime and he came up in a big way," Stotts said.

True and Mason Davis each scored nine points to give Madison four players with at least nine points in the game.

Pottschmidt scored 17 points and Kowan Gross had 10 to lead Trinity.

The win ends Madison's longest losing streak since the 1977-78 season and the Cubs are hoping that it will kick off a nice closing stretch to the season.

"I think that this win should build our team's confidence a little bit more," Reynolds said, "and hopefully come out with another 'W' tomorrow night."

Madison was to host Columbus East (1-18) on Friday and then Jeffersonville (10-8) and former head coach Sherron Wilkerson on Tuesday at Salm Gym. The Cubs then close out the regular season at home Against Switzerland County (9-12) on Thursday.

David Campbell

Madison's Quincy Reynolds (with ball) attacks against Trinity Lutheran defenders Kowan Gross (20), Levi Froedge (2) and Luke Coomler (31) during Thursday's game at Salm Gym. Reynolds had 15 points, seven rebounds, four assists and two steals to lead the Cubs to their first win since just before Christmas.

BOYS SWIM SECTIONAL

Madison to take 3 top seeds into finals on Saturday

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Madison's boys swim team picked up three top seeds and secured spots in 16 finals with an impressive performance in the preliminaries of the IHSAA Swim Sectional at Highland Hills Middle School on Thursday.

The Cubs finished first in two of the three relays, with Peyton Ford, Camdyn Sever, Max Thompson and Gavin McMahon winning the 200-yard medley relay in 1:41.52 and Ford, Kyle Roney, McMahon and Sever winning the 200 free relay in 1:31.42. Roney also placed first in the 200 freestyle in 1:49.18.

The sectional finals are Saturday where the winner in each event automatically qualifies for the IHSAA State Finals next week in Indianapolis.

"Tonight was the culmination of a great deal of hard work for these young men," Madison coach Ashley Schutte said. "They have followed the plan and tonight we saw some incredible personal best times, courageous swims and what can happen when you believe in yourself and trust your training. It is so much fun to see them succeed."

In addition to the three top seeds, Madison saw swimmers qualify for Saturday's finals in eight other events.

Sever placed second in the 50 freestyle in 22.19 and the 100 breaststroke in 1:03.79, Roney was second in the 100 freestyle in 49.74, and Ford was second in the 100 backstroke in 57.39. McMahon was third in the 50 freestyle in 22.69 and seventh in the 100 freestyle in 51.55, Thompson was third in the 100 butterfly in 55.60 and 100 breaststroke in 1:03.94, Roney, Graham Klein, Beckham Cornelius and Thompson were fourth in the 400 freestyle relay in 3:42.89, Ford was fifth in the 50 freestyle in 22.98, and Klein was seventh in the 100 butterfly in 56.90 and eighth in the 100 backstroke in 1:02.08.

Shawe's Matthew Vaughn qualified for the finals in two events, placing sixth in the 100 freestyle in 51.06 and seventh in the 200 freestyle in 1:53.29.

Switzerland County's Caleb Ridener placed third in the 100 backstroke in a school-record 58.43 while teammate Nathan Furnish was seventh in the 100 breast in 1:07.28 as both punched their tickets to the finals on Saturday. Ridener and Furnish also joined with Derek Hoskins and Roman Hite to place sixth in the 200 medley relay in 1:53.11 and earn a spot in the finals.

The top eight finishers in each prelim qualify for the finals while finishers ninth through 16 earn a shot at the consolation finals on Saturday.

Other finishes for Madison were: Trenton Schafer, 13th, 500 free, 6:12.99 and 18th, 200 free, 2:14.77; Cornelius, 14th, 100 breast, 1:15.22 and 18th, 200 IM, 2:30.79; Tucker Whitaker, 19th, 100 free, 1:01.47 and 20th, 200 free, 2:20.87; and Branson Cline, 22nd, 100 back, 1:21.05.

Other finishes for Switzerland County were: Furnish, 10th, 100 free, 52.11; Hoskins, 11th, 500 free, 5:58.47 and 14th, 200 IM, 2:22.67; and Ridener, 12th, 100 fly, 1:03.16.

Finishes for Southwestern were: Elliott Brooks, 17th, 50 free, 26.57 and 18th, 100 free, 1:01.15; Braden Helton, 18th, 100 back, 1:10.92 and 19th, 50 free, 27.01; and Forrest Deutscher, 25th, 100 breast, 1:56.40 and 33rd, 50 free, 42.94.

The IHSAA Sectional Finals will begin at 1 p.m. on Saturday at Highland Hills, near Floyd Central High School. Event winners will advance to the state finals next week at IUPUI in Indianapolis.

BASKETBALL ROUNDUP

Shawe battles South Ripley to the end in 51-47 loss

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Shawe Memorial played one of its best games of the season in a 51-47 loss at South Ripley on Wednesday in boys basketball.

The Hilltoppers led the Raiders 14-9 after the first quarter and, despite rough second and third quarters, exploded for 27 points in the fourth to fall just four points short of completing a huge comeback.

"I think it was one of our better games defensively," Shawe coach Dan Hambrick said. "We came out focused and followed the scouting report to a 'T.' We hit some shots and had patience on offense. If we wouldn't have struggled so much on the offensive end for the second and third quarters, we would have come out on top. I am very proud of our defensive effort and our focus. This is a good time to be turning the corner headed into the Sectional draw week."

Philip Kahn shook off the effects of a concussion suffered last week to score 21 points and lead the way for Shawe while seniors Eric Liu and Wyatt Nichter chipped in eight points each.

"Kahn sees a lot of different defenders each night and handles it well," Hambrick said. "Nichter is starting to put up points consistently for us and we need to keep finding ways to get them open shots. We have other capable scorers and I think they are all starting to see that.

"I am proud of the boys' effort. That is a talented team we played tonight and it was on their home floor. We are going to go back to work on Thursday and try to build on what we did tonight."

Shawe, now 8-13 overall and 0-5 Ohio River Valley Conference, hosts an 8-11 Union (Dugger) squad on Saturday. The school will honor its 2003 boys basketball sectional championship team during halftime of the varsity game, which will begin at roughly 3:30 p.m.

The Hilltoppers went 11-13 that season and defeated Henryville 33-32 to win Shawe's second-straight sectional title. Members of the team were: Drew Kring, Caleb Tandy, Matt Goley, Kevin Schafer, John Bennett, Brandon Lauster, Doug Ungru, Michael Waller, Ben Schafer, Evan Hensley, Philip Berry and Greg Guarino. Coaches were Jerry Bomholt, Brett Palmer, Scott Bomholt and Mike Gosman.

Shawe then closes out the regular season at home against Milan (6-14, 3-2 ORVC) on Tuesday.

RAIDERS LOSE TO KCD

Trimble County boys basketball closed out the regular season with an 85-54 loss at Kentucky Country Day on Thursday.

James Thomas Wilcoxson scored 27 points to lead the Raiders while Ethan Horn had 11. Beau Bradley and Zach Rice added five points each.

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LOCAL SPORTS CALENDAR

Saturday, Feb. 18

BASKETBALL

Shawe boys host Union (Dugger), 3:30 p.m.
Southwestern boys host Scottsburg, 7:30 p.m.

LACROSSE

Hanover men at Wilmington, 1 p.m.
Hanover women host Albion, 1 p.m.

SWIMMING

Madison, Shawe, Switzerland Co. boys, IHSAA Sectional Finals at Highland Hills MS, 1 p.m.

Sunday, Feb. 19

BASKETBALL

Hanover men host Franklin, HCAC Tournament, 4 p.m.

TENNIS

Hanover men and vs. Wittenberg at Nicholasville, Ky., 3 p.m.

Monday, Feb. 20

BASKETBALL

Trimble Co. girls vs. Henry Co., KHSAA 31st District Tournament at Trimble Co., 6 p.m.
Carroll Co. boys vs. Trimble Co., KHSAA 31st District Tournament at Trimble Co., 7:30 p.m.

Tuesday, Feb. 21

BASKETBALL

Madison boys host Jeffersonville, 7:30 p.m.
Shawe boys host Milan, 7:30 p.m.
Southwestern boys host Charlestown, 7:30 p.m.

Spring turkey reserved hunt applications open Feb. 19

Beginning Feb. 19, hunters can apply for spring turkey reserved hunts at on.IN.gov/reservedhunt.

The online method is the only way to apply for the hunts. Applications must be submitted by 11:59 p.m. on Sunday, March 19. No late entries will be accepted. Applicants must possess a hunting license that is valid for the hunt in which they apply.

Hunters will be selected through a random computerized draw. An email will be sent to all applicants when the draws have been completed. Applicants will be able to view draw results online within two weeks after the application period closes.

Specific hunt information for individual properties can be found by visiting on.IN.gov/reservedhunt.

Spring turkey hunts will be held at Big Oaks National Wildlife Refuge and at Muscatatuck National Wildlife Refuge. Muscatatuck National Wildlife Refuge also has a youth spring turkey hunt reserved draw. The application for the youth hunt is open Feb. 15 to March 12.

Other spring turkey hunts will be held at the following properties: Atterbury Fish & Wildlife Area; Aukiki Wetland Conservation Area; Crosley Fish &Wildlife Area; Deer Creek Fish & Wildlife Area; Fairbanks Landing Fish & Wildlife Area; Glendale Fish & Wildlife Area; Goose Pond Fish & Wildlife Area; Hillenbrand Fish & Wildlife Area; Hovey Lake Fish & Wildlife Area; J.E. Roush Lake Fish & Wildlife Area; Jasper-Pulaski Fish & Wildlife Area; Kingsbury Fish & Wildlife Area; LaSalle Fish & Wildlife Area; Mississinewa Lake; Pigeon River Fish & Wildlife Area; Salamonie Lake; Sugar Ridge Fish & Wildlife Area; Tri-County Fish & Wildlife Area; Willow Slough & and Wildlife Area; and Winamac Fish & Wildlife Area.

Only one application per hunt is allowed. No changes can be made once an application is submitted.

The application process is now consolidated into the online services website along with licenses, CheckIN Game, and HIP registration. An online account is not required to apply, but a Customer ID number is needed.

In the online system, hunts without a registration fee will follow the same process as hunts with a fee. To register for hunts with no required fee, applicants will still use these prompts: "Add to Cart," "Proceed to Checkout," and "Place Order." If the transaction total is $0, the applicant will not be asked to enter credit card information. Applicants must place the order to submit their application.

To view draw results, applicants can log into their online services account or click "View results" at on.IN.gov/reservedhunt. Applicants should select "click here" under the heading "Reserved Hunts" to see the status of registered hunts. The link will only show upcoming hunts that an individual has registered for. Logging into an account online is required to see the full history of reserved hunt registrations.

More information on reserved turkey hunting is available at on.IN.gov/reservedhunt.

Hanover women's lacrosse opens season with loss

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Hanover College women's lacrosse managed just seven shots in a 20-1 loss at Centre in the Panthers' season opener on Wednesday.

Centre dominated the action from start to finish, scoring 10 goals in the first quarter to blitz out to an early double-digit lead. The Colonels' lead reached 14-0 before Masi McNally-Henriksen broke the shutout with an unassisted goals at the 14:14 mark of the third quarter.

McNally-Henriksen managed three shots in the game — including two on goal — while Katie Comer had two shots. Taylor McNally-Henriksen and Natalie Mullin accounted for the Panthers' other two attempts.

Hanover, now 0-1 on the season, hosts Albion at Alumni Stadium on Saturday before facing off against Wartburg (Iowa) in Georgetown, Texas, on Tuesday, Feb. 28.

COURIERAREA SPORTS SHORTS

BY THE COURIER STAFF

• Southwestern's Peyton Gwin has been named Ohio River Valley Conference boys basketball player of the week.

Gwin, a senior, scored 19 points and six assists and had five rebounds in the Rebels' win over Rising Sun. He also reached the 1,000-point career scoring milestone during the game.

• Madison jayvee boys basketball defeated Trinity Lutheran 53-37 on Thursday.

Damon Harden scored 17 points for the Cubs while Clayton Benkert had 15.

Madison hosted Columbus East on Friday and hosts Jeffersonville on Tuesday.

• Shawe junior varsity boys basketball lost 54-35 at South Ripley on Wednesday.

Tyler Hill scored 30 points in the loss for the Hilltoppers.

Shawe hosts Union (Dugger) on Saturday in a two-quarter contest then wraps up the season at home against Milan on Tuesday.

• Switzerland County picked up two wins over Shawe in junior high girls basketball on Thursday.

Switzerland won the seventh-grade game 20-15. Brylee Liter and Maria Ameca-Mendoza scored four points each to lead Shawe.

The Pacers won the eighth-grade game 27-22. Lucy Wilhelm had six points and Brylee Liter score five for Shawe.

On Wednesday, Switzerland County lost to Greendale 27-17. Emma South had six points and Lyndsay Snider scored three for the Pacers.

• Madison Junior High swimming scored a sweep over Rising Sun on Wednesday.

The Bears won by a combined score of 188-53 with the girls winning 115-16 and the boys winning 73-37.

First-place winners for the girls were: Ava Canida, 200 free, 2:20.05 and 100 free, 1:02.50; Natalie Martin, 100 IM, 1:15.51 and 50 fly, 32.17; Poppie Kelsey, 50 free, 31.44 and 50 back, 36.56; Tayleigh Johnson, 50 breast, 36.87; Canida, Johnson, Martin and Lilly Dattilo, 200 medley relay, 2:11.28; and Canida, Martin, Sarah Ricketts and Johnson, 200 free relay, 1:58.83.

Winners for the boys were: Garrett Klein, 50 free, 27.37; Ethan Storm, 100 free, 57.75 and 50 breast, 37.41; Cole Goodknight, 50 back, 30.43; and Goodknight, Owain Kelsey, Klein and Storm, 200 medley relay, 2:05.48 and 200 free relay, 1:54.52.

Madison hosts Southwestern on Tuesday.

• Hanover Parks Department is now accepting applications for its 2023 baseball and softball leagues.

The leagues are open to boys and girls ages four through 12 with age determined by Jan. 1, 2023 for softball and Aug. 31, 2023 for baseball. Cost is $30 and the application deadline in March 29.

Coaches are also being sought for each division in baseball and softball.

For more information, contact Hanover Parks Director Scott Davidson at 812-806-1042 or 812-292-4282.

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SATURDAY EVENING

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3 WAVE	6	2	WA..	NBC..	Chefs	TheSo..	Got Talent "Finals Preview: Fr..				SNL (N)		WA..
4 WTTV	4		(3:00) PGA Golf		Sheldon	Sheldon	★★★ Star Trek Beyond ('16) Chris Pine.						CBS4..
5 WLWT	2		News		NBC..	Let's..	America's Got Talent: All-Stars				SNL (N)		News
8 WISH	12		News	FamFe..	The Rookie		Maste..	Maste..	Animals	Animals	News (N)		News
9 WCPO	23		News	World..	WiseM..	Cash	NHL Hockey						News
11 WHAS	11	4	World..	News	Ent. Tonight (N)		NHL Hockey						News
15 WKPC	13		Lawrence Welk		TimFa..	RedG..	Kentuc..	Ky.Af..	★★★ Exodus ('60) Paul Newman.				
19 WXIX	10		(4:30)..	Hoops	Back to (N)		College Basketball				FOX19		Name-..
32 WLKY	5	5	(3:00) PGA Golf		Wheel	Jeopa..	★★★ Star Trek Beyond ('16) Chris Pine.						News
34 WBKI	7	7	Judge..	Judge..	FamFe..	FamFe..	Maste..	Maste..	Animals	Animals	The Rookie		Mom
41 WDRB	8	9	(4:30)..	Hoops	Back to (N)		College Basketball				WDRB News		Name-..
A&E	28	36	(5:30) ★★ The A-Team ('10)				★★ San Andreas ('15) Dwayne Johnson.					★ Jack Reacher	
AMC	29	26	Movie	★★★ Lethal Weapon 2 ('89) Mel Gibson.					★★★ Lethal Weapon 3 ('92) Mel Gibson.				
COM	45	59	TheOf..	TheOf..	★★ Grown Ups ('10)				★★ Happy Gilmore ('96)				South..
DISC	31	38	Afraid		Afraid		Naked and Afraid "Twinning"				Naked and Afraid		
DISN	25	29	Big City	Big City	Hams..	Hams..	Marvel..	Marvel..	Raven	Raven	Hams..	Hams..	Big City
ESPN	32	44	Basketball Duke at Syracuse (N)				ESP..	XFL Orlando Guardians at Houston Roughnecks (N)					
FREE	18	40	(5:15) ★ Findin...		(:20) ★★★ Monsters, Inc. ('01)					(:25) ★★★ Monsters University			
FX	40	28	(5:30) ★★★ The Avengers ('12)					XFL Orlando Guardians at Houston Roughnecks (N)					
HBO	201	17	(5:50) ★ Birdman or (The Unexp...				★★ Empire of Light ('22) (P)				The Last of Us		RealTi..
MAX	270	73	★★ Transcendence ('14)				★★ Cellular ('04)			(:35) ★ The Forever Purge			Movie
NEWSNTN	20	20	Blue Bloods		NewsNation (N)		NewsNation (N)		NewsNation (N)		NewsNation		News..
PARMT	35	41	(5:25) Y..	Yellowstone		Yellowstone		(:35) Yellowstone		(:35) Yellowstone		(:45) Yellowstone	
SHOW	221	16	(5:30) Stand			★ Agent Game ('22)			★★★ Uncut Gems ('19)				Movie
TMC	233	74	(5:10) ★ Stripes		★★★ Logan Lucky ('17)				★★ Teeth ('07)			(:35) ★ Bone D...	
TNT	27	43	TheSum	NBA Tip-Off (N) (Live)			All-Star Sat. (N) (Live)					True Blood	
USA	26	33	(5:30)..	Magnum P.I.		Magnum P.I.		Magnum P.I.		(:35) Magnum		(:35) Magnum	

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4 WTTV	4		(3:00) P..	CBS..	60 Minutes (N)		Equalizer (N)		East New (N)		NCIS: LA (N)		CBS4..
5 WLWT	2		News	NBC..	Magnum P.I.		Magnum P.I.		Magnum (SP)		Magnum (N)		News
8 WISH	12		News	FamFe..	The Rookie		Animals	Animals	Whose..	Whose..	News	Sports..	News
9 WCPO	23		News	World..	Fun Videos (N)		American Idol (N) (SP)				Company (P)		News
11 WHAS	11	4	World..	News	Fun Videos (N)		American Idol (N) (SP)				Company (P)		News
15 WKPC	13		Last/..	KeepUp	Shakespeare		Creatures		Creatures (SF)		Elizabeth (N)		Traces
19 WXIX	10		(2:30) D..	PaidP..	Masked		Simpso..	The-N..	Burgers	Famil..	FOX19		FOX19
32 WLKY	5	5	(3:00) P..	WL..	60 Minutes (N)		Equalizer (N)		East New (N)		NCIS: LA (N)		News
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A&E	28	36	Biography "Goldberg"				Biography "nWo" (N) (P)				WWE Rivals		WWE..
AMC	29	26	(5:30) ★★★★ Avatar ('09) Sam Worthington.						Mayfair (N)		Mayfair "Tessa"		Movie
COM	45	59	(5:00) ★ Grown...		TheOf..	TheOf..	TheOf..	TheOf..	TheOf..	TheOf..	TheOf..	TheOf..	TheOf..
DISC	31	38	Naked and (N)		Naked and (N)		Naked and Afraid (N) (SP)				(:05) Afraid		Afraid
DISN	25	29	Villains	Ladyb..	★★★★ Frozen ('13)			(:45) Marvel's		Bunk'd	(:10) Jessie		Ladyb..
ESPN	32	44	(5:00) Softball		SportCtr (N)		XFL Seattle Sea Dragons at D.C. Defenders (N)						SportC..
FREE	18	40	(5:25) ★★★★ The Incredibles ('04)				(:05) ★★★★ Incredibles 2 ('18)					(:45) ★ Pirates o...	
FX	40	28	(4:30) ★ Avengers: Infinity War				★★★★ Ant-Man and The Wasp ('18)					★ Ant-Man & ...	
HBO	201	17	Game	(:50) ★★★★★ The Silence of the Lambs					The Last (N)		The Last of Us		Last..
MAX	270	73	(:20) ★★★ Ride Along ('14)				★★★ Miami Vice ('06)				(:15) ★ Live Free or Die ...		
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PARMT	35	41	(5:30) Y..	(:40) Yellowstone	(:45) Yellowstone		(:50) Yellowstone		(:55) Yellowst. "I Want to..				Yello..
SHOW	221	16	★ Mona Lisa and the Blood Moon				Your Honor		Your Honor (N)		Murder-Big (N)		YourH..
TMC	233	74	★ Thank You for Your Service				★★★★ True Grit ('10)				★ Good Will Hunting		
TNT	27	43	NBA (N) (Live)			All-Star (N)		NBA Team LeBron vs. Team Giannis (N)					NBA
USA	26	33	Law-SVU		Law-SVU		Law-SVU		Law-SVU		Law-SVU		Law-S..

MONDAY EVENING

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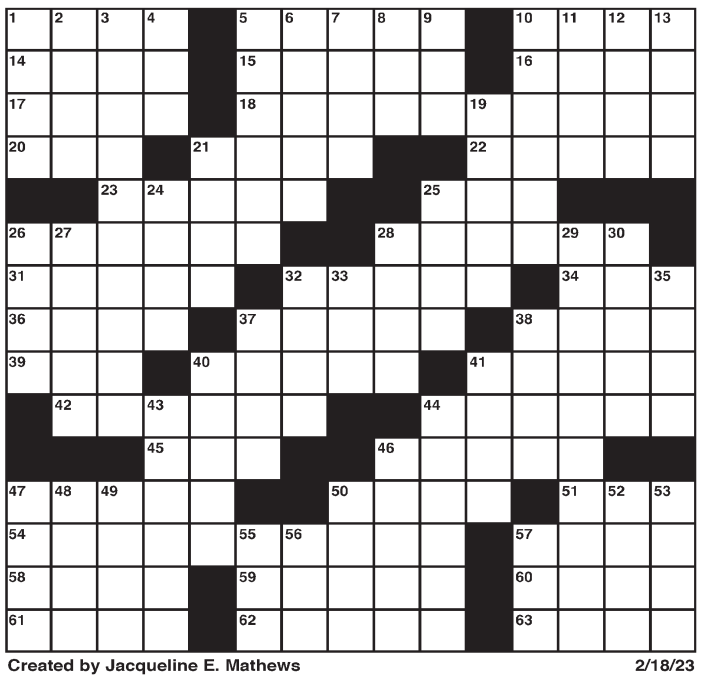
4 WTTV	4		CBS4..	CBS..	BigBa..	Sheldon	Neighb..	BobH..	NCIS		NCIS: Hawai'i		CBS4..
5 WLWT	2		News	NBC..	WLWT	Holly..	America's/Talent (N)				Quantum (N)		News
8 WISH	12		News (N)		Insid..	ET (N)	All Amer (N)		American (N)		News (N)		News
9 WCPO	23		News	World..	News	The List	The Bachelor (N)				Company		News
11 WHAS	11	4	News	World..	ET (N)	Insid..	The Bachelor (N)				Company		News
15 WKPC	13		World..	Edition	NewsHour (N)		Kentucky (N)		Experience (N)		Secrets of the		World..
19 WXIX	10		FOX19	FOX19	Wheel	Jeopa..	Fantasy (N)		Alert (N)		FOX19 (N)		FOX19
32 WLKY	5	5	News	CBS..	Wheel	Jeopa..	Neighb..	BobH..	NCIS		NCIS: Hawai'i		News
34 WBKI	7	7	Neighb..	House..	Sheldon	BigBa..	All Amer (N)		American (N)		BigBa..	Sheldon	black-i..
41 WDRB	8	9	WD..	News	Judge..	Judge..	Fantasy (N)		Alert (N)		WDRB News		WD..
A&E	28	36	The First 48		The First 48		The First 48		The First 48		The First 48		First48
AMC	29	26	(5:00) ★★★★ Rocky III		★★★ Rocky IV ('85)					★★★★ Rocky Balboa ('06)			
COM	45	59	TheOf..	TheOf..	TheOf..	TheOf..	TheOf..	TheOf..	TheOf..	TheOf..	TheOf..	TheOf..	South..
DISC	31	38	Street Outlaws		Street (N)		Street Outlaws "Turnt Up Tulsa" (N)						Street
DISN	25	29	Marvel..	Marvel..	★ The Princess & the ...			Marvel..	Jessie	Jessie	Big City	Hams..	Ladyb..
ESPN	32	44	SportCtr (N)		Basketball Louisville at Duke (N)				Basketball Kansas at TCU (N)				SportC..
FREE	18	40	(3:45) ★ Beauty...		(:55) ★★★ Aladdin ('19) Mena Massoud, Will Smith.						Watchful (N)		700Club
FX	40	28	(4:00) ★ Hidden...		★★★★ The Help ('11) Emma Stone, Viola Davis.							★★★★ The Help	
HBO	201	17	(5:30) T..	★ The Hobbit: The Battle of the Five Ar...					C.B. Strike (N)		The Last of Us		C.B.S..
MAX	270	73	(:15) ★★★ Limitless ('11)				★★★ Mannequin ('87)		★ Mannequin Two: O...				Movie
NEWSNTN	20	20	Rush Hour (N)		On Balance (N)		Cuomo (N)		Dan Abrams		Banfield (N)		Cuomo
PARMT	35	41	Yellowstone		Yellowstone		Yellowstone		Yellowstone		★★★★ Top Gun ('86)		
SHOW	221	16	(:15) ★★★ Breaking ('22)				Your Honor		Murder-Big		★★★★ Attica ('21)		
TMC	233	74	(:05) ★ The Ballad of Lefty Brown				★★★★ Snowpiercer ('13)				(:10) ★★★★ Gladiator		
TNT	27	43	(3:40) ★ Star W...		(:55) ★★★ Star Wars: The Rise of Skywalker ('19)						True Blood		TrueB..
USA	26	33	Chi. Fire (N)		Chi. Fire (N)		WWE Monday Night RAW (N) (Live)						Chrisley

THE Daily Commuter Puzzle by Jacqueline E. Mathews



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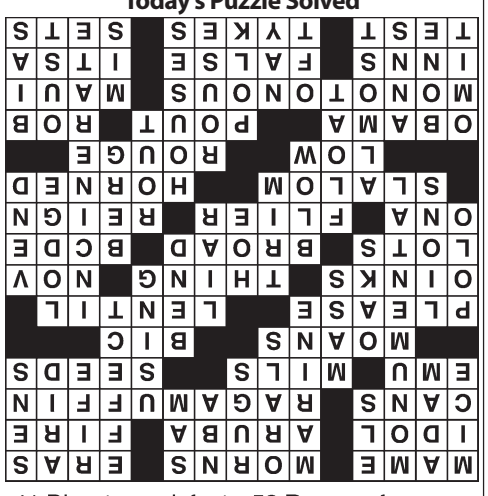
ACROSS
1 "Auntie __"; film for Roz Russell
5 Daybreaks
10 Geologic periods
14 TV's "American __"
15 Dutch island in the Caribbean
16 Give a pink slip to
17 Pantry stackables
18 Waif
20 Bird that runs
21 Wire measures
22 Parakeet's lunch
23 Complains
25 Pen name
26 Make happy
28 Soup bean
31 Pig cries
32 Word attached to some or any
34 Part of fall: abbr.
36 Plenty
37 Wide
38 Part of the alphabet
39 "Cat __ Hot Tin Roof"
40 Pilot
41 Occupy the throne
42 Zigzag skiing
44 Having antlers
45 Near the ground
46 Baton __
47 21st-century president
50 Be a sore loser
51 Actor Reiner
54 Boring
57 Haleakala volcano's island
58 Hotels
59 Incorrect
60 "__ Wonderful Life"
61 Student's ordeal
62 Toddlers
63 Gels

DOWN
1 Household pests
2 Eden evictee
3 Tremendous
4 Golfer Ernie
5 Many a Guadalcanal hero
6 Face-to-face exams
7 Floor coverings
8 Org. for Heat & Hawks
9 Actor Elliott
10 Cause's partner, in phrase
11 Plentiful
12 Withered
13 French cathedral town
19 Exploiting
21 Church service
24 Thousand __, CA
25 Be flexible
26 Explorer Marco
27 "__ and tigers and bears! Oh my!"
28 Fibber
29 Burn to ashes
30 Get stuck
32 Brief haircut
33 Weeding tool
35 Peddle from a cart
37 "…Dinah, won't you __ your horn?…"
38 North Sea ship danger
40 Waft
41 Disastrous defeat
43 Nearly
44 Monopoly purchases
46 Awaken
47 Leave out
48 Humerus or fibula
49 Landers & others
50 19th-century U.S. president
52 Remove from office
53 Civil rights concern
55 Lots of times, to a poet
56 Anti's vote
57 Prefix for print or place

Today's Puzzle Solved



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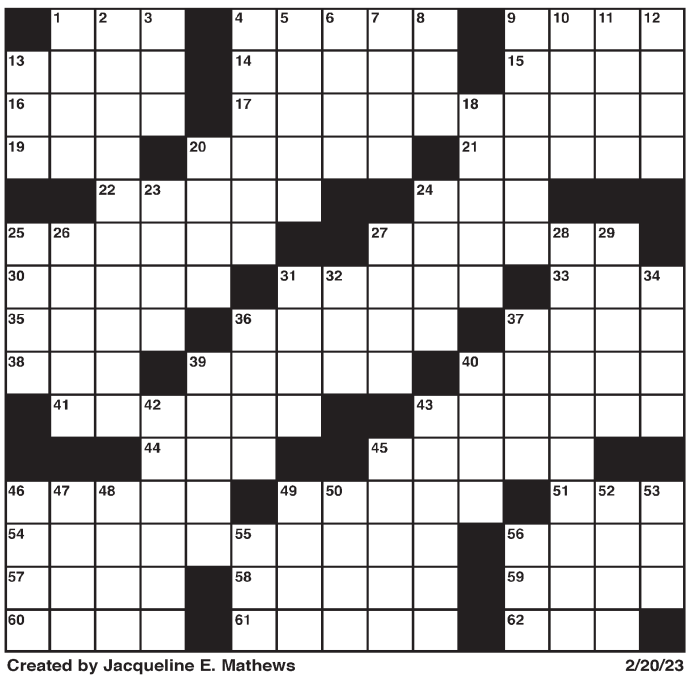

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ACROSS
1 __ up with; tolerate
4 Bury
9 "__ bigger and better things!"
13 Thorn in one's side
14 Grocery store section
15 Bug's nemesis
16 __ tea
17 Hard to believe
19 Sapphire or onyx
20 Men with habits
21 Mother's Day gift, perhaps
22 In a snit
24 Man's nickname
25 Lindbergh & Earhart
27 Flaw
30 Humane Society's advice
31 Ulysses or Cary
33 Trendy
35 TV's "Happy __"
36 Constructed
37 When doubled, Samoa's capital
38 Pronoun
39 Possibly
40 Beaver's mom & others
41 Loathsome
43 Various & __ items; assortment
44 Poorly lit
45 Handbag
46 Solemn ceremonies
49 Husky
51 Drag
54 Senseless
56 Shine's partner, in phrase
57 Weather forecast
58 Like a cliché
59 Spa facial treatment
60 Stops
61 Evening hour
62 Married woman: abbr.

DOWN
1 Walk back and forth
2 Not working
3 Turner or DiBiase
4 Boneheads
5 Governess
6 Bloodsucking bug
7 Gets it wrong
8 Deli loaf
9 Black-and-orange bird
10 Arrests
11 Shower wall material
12 Poems of praise
13 As __ as a house
18 Uncomfortable breeze
20 AKC rejectee
23 Klutz's word
24 Penny
25 Cushions
26 Potato exporter
27 Valley
28 Dining room light
29 Woods, for one
31 Men
32 Tease
34 Small bouquet
36 "The Wizard of Oz" author
37 Plays on words
39 Damp
40 Trial attendees
42 High standards
43 Glum
45 Babble
46 Bush's Condoleezza
47 __ Age; Stone Age's follower
48 __ on; trampled
49 Drill a hole
50 MSU or USC
52 __ caution; is wary
53 Become firm
55 "__ the Hard Knock Life" ("Annie" song)
56 Letters on a record

Today's Puzzle Solved

Requesting a wedding 'plus one' is awkward

AMY DICKINSON
ASK AMY

Dear Amy: Is there a way that a wedding invitation addressed to my wife and me and our 40-year-old single son could be changed to a "plus one" invitation so my son could bring his serious girlfriend of two-plus years to the wedding?

The groom is the eldest son of our closest family friend.

My son will likely not want to travel from one coast to the other for the April wedding without his girlfriend.

Including our son was probably prompted by the groom's dad, as he has played a role like a godfather to our son.

If my son were to get engaged in the next month or two (the wedding is in 10 weeks from now), does that alter the situation and your reply?

Simply put, is there any situation where an invitee can ask if they can bring their romantic partner? – Determined Dad

Dear Dad: It is appropriate to include a long-term serious romantic partner in a wedding invitation.

However, if this family is as close to your son as you state, then presumably they would know about this almost-fiancé in your son's life. Furthermore, if your son isn't invested enough in this wedding to consider going with you (without his girlfriend), then that is another clue that – even if you and the parents are extremely close, he and the marrying couple are not first-tier friends. And it's their wedding.

You can't just change a wedding invitation. You can, however, gingerly and respectfully ask if they might have room for a "plus-one."

When I got married, a couple of people did this, and it was fine. (Worse were those we'd set a place for who accepted the invitation, didn't show up, and didn't let us know in advance – and that seems to happen at every wedding.)

And yes, if your son got engaged before the wedding, the marrying couple might be embarrassed if they learned about it later and hadn't included the fiance in the invitation.

Fussy babies lead to fussy concert goers

AMY DICKINSON
ASK AMY

Dear Amy: I recently attended a community band concert, which was spoiled by small children in the audience, crying and fussing. To make matters worse, the family was sitting at the front of the auditorium, so they added to the distraction by not only walking the entire length of the auditorium to remove the crying children, but returning with them later – all the way to the front.

What is wrong with inconsiderate people who ruin a pleasant experience, not only for the other concertgoers, but also for the performers who have worked hard to put on the performance?

I understand that parents want to expose their children to varied cultural experiences, but unless the venue has a family "cry-room" they should not expect them to sit still for a long performance.

What should one say to these parents? Tell them to sit in the back row so they can make a hasty exit with fussy children? Ask them to leave and not come back? Leave the kiddies at home with a babysitter? – Distracted Concertgoer

Dear Distracted: It is a shame that young members of the community spoiled your experience at a community concert.

But there's an old show-biz saying that I believe applies here:

Thems the breaks, sister!

This is a community concert. Community bands and choruses are wonderful organizations where dedicated amateur musicians dust off instruments from the back of their coat closets, attend a number of rehearsals, and perform for a grateful and understanding audience.

This is a fun and challenging opportunity to show your chops alongside your friends and neighbors and perform in a low-pressure setting.

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ASTROLOGY

ARIES (March 21-April 19) — People are attracted to you when you exude confidence. Take more time to know someone better before rushing into a new relationship. You may be fascinated by outer trappings and not understand what lies within.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) — Consider the situation carefully, and whether all is really well or if you are burying your head in the sand. You may cross paths with someone who illuminates both the problems and benefits of sharing your dreams.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) — Set an example of industry for others to follow. Once you overcome inertia, you can find extra energy at your disposal for mental or physical exertion. Tackle projects that make good use of your leadership abilities.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) — Dreams can come true, but only if you choose a dream that has a real, bona fide chance of becoming a reality, and then work consistently toward achieving it. Turn on your mental dexterity to handle an intricate problem.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) — Change the station. Turn up the volume to listen to the thoughts of a different group of people. It is wise to review your own set of ethics and standards if someone is judged unfairly or accused of crossing the line.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) — Take care of the necessities on your "to do" list but schedule time for relaxation with your tribe. You may be brimming with ideas that will help you become more creative. Write them down for later use.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) — Though most people chase money and/or love, some of the greatest satisfaction comes from defining and living by your real purpose for living. A loved one may ignite romantic ideas in the recesses of your mind.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) — If it's been a trying week, you might love to escape reality, but don't get caught up in an illusion. Give a new romantic attraction a pass and instead consider growing closer to a steady companion and building your dream.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) — Your insights into people are likely very much on target. You can understand emotional turmoil as well as misplaced ideals without being judgmental. Friends and colleagues may send business your way.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) — Money can change everything; it certainly makes things easier. Your personal cash register might ring up extra sales, but it is best to remain cautious about additional spending. Rely on a partner to help keep the budget on track.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) — There is a logical way to finish any puzzle that is presented. Good communication is the best tool to use when things are not going your way. Your home and family could be the center of social activities.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) — Even though you may be too sensitive and compassionate to take advantage of someone else, you can still uphold boundaries and negotiate wisely. Put big-ticket purchases on the back-burner for now.

ASTROLOGY

ARIES (March 21-April 19) — Cream rises to the top and you may, too. Your sincerity and loyalty can earn you accolades – you might receive recognition or a standing ovation when you least expect it. Let it in – enjoy any enhanced popularity in the moment.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) — Some people might consider your ingenuity amazing. This could be a good time to impress someone with your talents or to present stunning ideas. Even if you did the best thing, you might still learn something valuable from criticism.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) — Energetic communications could be the hallmark of the time. You should be able to set a good example of industriousness and also enjoy improved manual and mental acuity. Roll up your sleeves.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) — Actively live up to your ideals; under these stars you have no excuse to be an armchair philosopher. Responsiveness and excellent communication could be the key that unlocks a peaceful and tranquil relationship.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) — Take commitments seriously; do your duty and be accountable for the consequences of your actions. You can learn from your mistakes if you consider criticisms with that in mind. Working in a group might be better than a one-on-one situation.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) — Welcome discussions and new dialogues. Someone might have different ideas or debate your plans. Quick-thinking individuals may show you a different perspective so that your job can be completed in a better way.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) — Trying to be unemotional might only hamper your progress. Partners, loved ones and business contacts expect you to trust them as much as they trust you. Remain sociable and approachable for the best results.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) — You may be feeling especially romantic. The downside of this is that you may not be watchful or cautious enough if dealing with someone new. Save your affections for a trustworthy, proven romantic partner.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) — Put your numerous skills to work on your own behalf and create something you can be proud of. Don't be distracted by social chitchat while on the job or put your feet up before completing your scheduled tasks.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) — Achieve any goal that you set out to conquer using strength of will. Complex financial situations may need your attention sooner than later. With your strategizing abilities, you could think your way out of any dilemma.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) — A financial transaction might need just a small push in the right direction to bear fruit. For a brief time, you may feel isolated or doubt a family member's choices. Put more trust in your own thinking and decisions.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) — Creativity and imagination is highlighted now. You can be more productive if you put your artistic or problem-solving instincts into overdrive and do what you do best. Appreciate classic and lasting designs.

Bats announce promotions schedule for 2023 season

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LOUISVILLE, Ky. — The Louisville Bats announced the release of the 2023 Promotional Schedule. The upcoming season is packed with special events, theme nights, giveaways, fireworks and more.

The Bats open the season on March 31 in Nashville before coming home for Opening Night at Louisville Slugger Field against the Indianapolis Indians on Tuesday, April 4 at 6:35 p.m. EDT. To celebrate the start of a new season, the Bats will host an Opening Weekend Block Party along Main Street prior to the game on Friday, April 7. The Block Party will feature special National Beer Day promotions, live music and food trucks.

Thunder Day at Louisville Slugger Field, presented by Koorsen Fire and Security, will take place on Saturday, April 22. As always, fans can enjoy a unique Thunder experience with a Bats baseball game (vs. Charlotte Knights at 2:05 p.m.), the air show, a postgame concert and a view of the Thunder Over Louisville fireworks show.

New to the 2023 season, the Bats today announced a 5-Game Plan season ticket package which include seats to five specially themed games. The games included in this ticket plan are Redbirds Night on Saturday, May 13; (Muhammed) Ali Festival Night on Saturday, June 3; Star Wars Night on Saturday, June 17; Independence Day Celebration on Monday, July 3 and Mash & Bash Night on Saturday, July 22.

In addition, any fan with a season ticket plan of 5-games and up (5-Game Plan, 7-Game Plan, Weekend Plus Plan, Half Season Plan and Full Season Plan) will receive exclusive gifts of a Redbirds color change cup, a limited-edition Mashers hat and a special bobblehead to be announced later. Plan holders will receive information about how to pick up each exclusive gift at a later time.

In addition to the exclusive gifts, the Bats will offer many giveaway items to the general public, while supplies last, with tickets to games such as a magnet schedule, limited edition hats, a team card set and more.

Season-long promotions such as $2 Menu Tuesdays, Senior Wednesdays, Thirsty Thursdays and Kids Days Sundays will make their return this season along with fan favorite theme nights such as Marvel's Defenders of the Diamond, Mashers, Copa de la Diversion, Dog Nights and even the Mint Juleps.

All individual game tickets go on sale Wednesday, March 1 at 10 a.m. Season ticket plans as well as Thunder tickets are currently available for purchase.

For more information on the 2023 Promo Schedule or to purchase tickets, fans can visit batsbaseball.com or call 502-212-2287.

Young's 20 help Maryland surge past No. 3 Purdue 68-54

BY PATRICK STEVENS
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COLLEGE PARK, Md. — Maryland's Kevin Willard walked away from a Thursday morning film session with little doubt his team would upend No. 3 Purdue less than 12 hours later.

Then his Terrapins went out and proved the first-year coach prophetic, unleashing a dominant stretch in the middle of the second half to rally past the Boilermakers 68-54 and deal Purdue its second consecutive loss.

Students stormed the court — and one even climbed onto a basket — after Maryland earned its fourth victory of the season over a ranked team. Exactly 10 years earlier, fans rushed onto the same court after Maryland beat then-No. 2 Duke.

"I knew we were going to win," Willard said. "This was not a surprise to me. This is an unbelievable program. It's one of the best programs in the country. I thought it was important for the fanbase and it was important for the students to just understand what this program is really all about."

Jahmir Young scored 20 points for the Terps (18-8, 9-6 Big Ten), who trailed 37-29 before erupting on a 29-4 burst to take control. Hakim Hart added 13 points for Maryland, which defeated a top-three team for the first time since toppling then-No. 3 Iowa 74-68 on Jan. 28, 2016.

Maryland improved to 14-1 at home this season and continued its resurgence after going 15-17 last season, the program's first losing season since 1992-93.

"Like coach said in the locker room, 'Just think of where you were last year,' " said forward Julian Reese, who had 10 points and nine rebounds. "At this time last year, we had a bad record — I'm not exactly sure what it was — and (now) it's (18-8) and we just beat a top-five team in the country. It's definitely a confidence booster, but we have to keep working."

Zach Edey and Braden Smith both scored 18 points for Purdue (23-4, 12-4), which has lost three of four — all on the road. The Boilermakers were outrebounded 35-23 by the smaller Terps. It was their largest deficit on the glass all season and only the third time they were beaten on the boards.

"We have to be tougher," Purdue coach Matt Painter said. "You have to come in here and win the possession battle. You have to have more rebounds and fewer turnovers. Now you can start right there and work toward something. We didn't do that. When you get on the road and you have fewer possessions and now you don't shoot well, oh that's going to be a long night versus a quality team."

The Boilermakers seemed headed for a bounce-back from Sunday's 64-58 loss at Northwestern when they took an eight-point lead in the second half. But a possession after a basket by Young, Purdue forward Mason Gillis was called for a foul and then was assessed a technical foul for arguing with official Doug Sirmons.

"It was definitely a momentum swing," Young said. "We just tried to limit them to one shot and get out in transition. That's when we play our best ball."

That effectively ignited a 10-0 spurt that prompted Painter to call timeout. He tried to again stem the run when Hart hit a 3 to make it 50-41 — a 21-4 spree at that point.

Maryland kept surging after the timeout, and by the time Hart made another 3 with 7:15 remaining, the Terps were up 58-41 and Purdue faced its largest deficit of the season.

"It just seemed like they were living about eight feet from the rim right in the middle, and they were just breaking us down off the dribble," Painter said.

The Terps eventually pushed the advantage to 18 and never saw their lead cut to single digits the rest of the night against a team that was ranked No. 1 earlier this month.

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Trimble, now 14-15 overall, turns its attention to the 31st District Tournament, which the Raiders will host starting on Monday. Trimble faces Carroll County in the opening round on Monday.

TRIMBLE GIRLS BEAT COLLEGIATE

Trimble County picked up a 34-29 win at Louisville Collegiate in girls basketball Wednesday on the road.

The Raiders, now 10-18 on the season, closed out the regular season at home against Oldham County on Friday. Trimble opens the 31st District Tournament at home on Monday against Henry County.

CARROLL FALLS TO SOUTH OLDHAM

Carroll County boys basketball wrapped up the regular season on the wrong side of a 100-point contest for the second time in three days as South Oldham scorched the Panthers 100-38 on Thursday in Carrollton.

On Monday, the Panthers suffered a 106-36 loss at home to Walton-Verona.

Carroll County, now 7-20 on the season, faces Trimble County in the opening round of the KHSAA 31st District Tournament at Trimble County on Monday.

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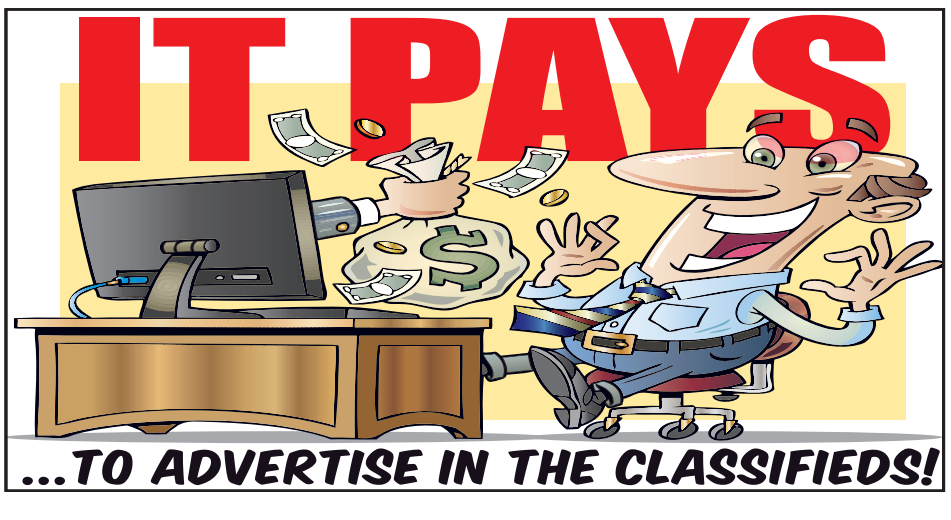

Buie's late basket lifts Northwestern over No. 14 Indiana 64-62

BY ANDREW SELIGMAN
ASSOCIATED PRESS

Former Wildcat Miller Kopp — who had profane chants directed his way by Northwestern fans — stole a pass by Robbie Beran, leading to a tying layup by Trayce Jackson-Davis with 28 seconds left.

EVANSTON, Ill. — Boo Buie drove hard toward the rim, pulled up for a short hook shot and watched his tiebreaking basket swish through the net. Moments later, Northwestern celebrated another win over a ranked opponent.

Buie scored with two seconds remaining and the surprising Wildcats followed up their first victory over a top-ranked team by beating No. 14 Indiana 64-62 on Wednesday night.

After defeating Purdue on Sunday for the program's first win against an opponent ranked No. 1 in the AP poll, the Wildcats (19-7, 10-5 Big Ten) came away with another big victory after the Hoosiers (18-8, 9-6) rallied from 19 down at halftime to tie it in the final minute.

"More people need to wake up," Buie said. "This isn't luck. It can't be luck at this point."

Northwestern took sole possession of second place in the conference standings with its program-record fourth win over a ranked opponent this season. It's quite a turnaround after five straight losing years.

There was so much speculation about coach Chris Collins' future after last season the school released a statement saying he would return. Now, he's on the verge of leading Northwestern to its second NCAA Tournament in seven years.

"Purdue was a great win, but it's been building throughout the year," Collins said. "If you lose all those games, then you start to have negative thoughts. And we've been through that in the past. It's almost like, let's invent a new way to lose tonight. But now, our guys are finding ways to win because they believe they should, they believe in each other."

Northwestern hadn't beaten Top 25 teams in consecutive games since January 2009. And this one sure wasn't easy in the end.

TIGHT FINISH

The Wildcats led 62-58 with 44 seconds remaining after Buie drove for a layup off a turnover. But Indiana wasn't finished.

Former Wildcat Miller Kopp — who had profane chants directed his way by Northwestern fans — stole a pass by Robbie Beran, leading to a tying layup by Trayce Jackson-Davis with 28 seconds left. Buie then buried the winner over Trey Galloway with two seconds left, and Jalen Hood-Schifino's heave as time expired hit the rim.

Buie had 21 points, six rebounds and four assists. Chase Audige scored 14, and Northwestern augmented its case for the school's second NCAA Tournament berth with its fourth straight win and seventh in nine games.

Jackson-Davis led Indiana with 23 points, 10 rebounds and eight assists. But the Hoosiers came up short after winning eight of nine.

Hood-Schifino and Race Thompson each scored 13.

"At the end of the day, Boo made a hell of a shot," Indiana coach Mike Woodson said. "You've got to give them credit. They get us down 19, you can't spot a team 19 at home and expect to win all the time. ... I thought we were too hyped, pumped for the game."

BIG START

Audige and Buie scored 11 apiece in the first half, and Northwestern led by 21 before heading to the locker room up 39-20.

Audige nailed back-to-back 3-pointers to give the Wildcats a 17-12 lead and spark a 17-1 run that delighted rowdy student sections behind each basket.

Indiana's bench and Woodson got called for technical fouls as the coach argued that Buie should have been whistled for traveling, leading to four free throws for the Wildcats' guard. And Northwestern continued to pour it on from there.

Buie capped the run when he nailed a 3 to make it 28-13 with just over seven minutes remaining in the half.

Brooks Barnhizer made it 39-18 with two free throws in the closing minute. Jackson-Davis made two for the Hoosiers in the closing seconds, and Woodson had more heated words for the officials before heading to the locker room with his team trailing by 19.

BIG PICTURE

Indiana: The Hoosiers couldn't overcome their poor start or shaky shooting. They were 3 of 11 on 3-pointers.

Northwestern: The Wildcats continued to make a case for a spot in the Top 25 as well as the NCAA Tournament, if they haven't clinched one already. "We're going to the tourney, so that's great," Collins said. "Now, we can just focus on getting better and continuing to figure out how we can be the best we can be and shore some things up."

UP NEXT

Indiana hosts Illinois on Saturday (TV: Live on ESPN at noon). The Hoosiers beat the Illini on the road 80-65 on Jan. 19.

Kentucky holds off Mississippi State in final minute 71-68

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

STARKVILLE, Miss. — Oscar Tshiebwe had 18 points and 11 rebounds, Jacob Toppin scored 16 points, and Kentucky held off Mississippi State 71-68 on Wednesday night.

Tolu Smith scored in the paint to get the Bulldogs within 66-62 with 1:21 remaining. Kentucky then missed a couple of 3-pointers and had a jumper blocked by Cameron Matthews before giving possession back to Mississippi State with 49 seconds left.

Shakeel Moore hit a jumper to make it 66-64 with 39 seconds left. The Bulldogs forced a missed 3-pointer as the shot clock ran out on Kentucky's ensuing possession but Livingston came up with the offensive rebound with seven seconds left, was fouled and made both free throws.

Mississippi State extended the game at the free-throw line but eventually Tshiebwe made a pair to ice the game.

Livingston had 13 points (6 of 6 from the line), with five rebounds, three assists and two steals for Kentucky (17-9, 8-5 SEC) and Antonio Reeves scored 14 points. Tshiebwe had seven of Kentucky's 18 offensive rebounds.

Kentucky had won six of seven before losing to Arkansas and Georgia in back-to-back games. Mississippi State had won five in a row.

Smith scored 22 points on 8-of-9 shooting and 6 of 7 free throws. Cameron Matthews had 11 points, seven rebounds and six assists. Moore had 14 points and Dashawn Davis added 13 for the Bulldogs (17-9, 5-8).

The Wildcats led for 17 minutes of the first half, but Mississippi State fought back from a 17-point deficit to trail 36-35 at halftime after Matthews beat the buzzer with a 3-pointer.

Kentucky had won six of seven before losing to Arkansas and Georgia in back-to-back games. Mississippi State had won five in a row.

The Wildcats beat Mississippi State for the 17th time in 18 games in 13 seasons with John Calipari as their coach.

Kentucky hosts No. 10 Tennessee on Saturday (TV: Live on CBS Sports at 1 p.m.). Tennessee defeated top-ranked Alabama 68-59 on Wednesday.

Defense helps No. 2 Indiana women down No. 12 Michigan

BY EVAN GERIKE
ASSOCIATED PRESS

"The swing of calls that we didn't get in the first half compared to the ones we did get in the second half really obviously helped us out. Were we more aggressive? No, I think we probably played the same."

— Kim Barnes Arico

BLOOMINGTON — Mackenzie Holmes scored 27 points and No. 2 Indiana forced 21 turnovers to beat No. 12 Michigan 68-52 on Thursday night for its ninth victory over a ranked team this season.

Indiana (25-1, 15-1 Big Ten) went scoreless for the first six minutes of the fourth quarter, but an 11-0 run by Michigan only cut the deficit to 13 and the Hoosiers then comfortably closed out the game.

"I hope it looks like we're having fun out there because I definitely am," Holmes said.

Indiana set a program record for wins and moved within one of its first Big Ten regular-season title since 1983.

"From the beginning, this group has had lofty goals," coach Teri Moren said. "We understand that in order to achieve the goals that we want, we've got to win a lot of games."

Emily Kiser led the Wolverines (20-6, 10-5) with 12 points, while Jordan Hobbs and Leigha Brown each added nine.

Chloe Moore-McNeil had 13 points for Indiana, including four 3-pointers.

"All of us believe in Chloe," Moren said. "She's such a great story, and I've continued to talk just about her patience and waiting for her moment, waiting for her time to be a starter. Along the way, she's continued to keep her head down and do the work."

Indiana's defense held Michigan to 40% shooting from the field, including 3 for 12 from 3-point range, and created 24 points off Wolverines turnovers.

"I've seen some great teams all year long, but I think they can win a national championship," Michigan coach Kim Barnes Arico said. "I think we're a great team, and they exposed us tonight."

Indiana used multiple double-digit runs to build a 14-point halftime lead, including a 12-0 spurt to start the second quarter. After the Wolverines shaved the deficit to three, Grace Berger scored six points to help the Hoosiers extend their advantage to 34-19.

The Hoosiers ended the half with four straight points on free throws as frustrations boiled over for the Wolverines. Maddie Nolan was called for a technical foul following a fast-break layup and blew kisses to a jeering Indiana crowd.

Another Michigan foul in the last second of the period let Indiana extend its lead further.

The Wolverines were called for 11 fouls to six for the Hoosiers in the first half, and were whistled for seven compared to 13 for Indiana in the second half.

"The swing of calls that we didn't get in the first half compared to the ones we did get in the second half really obviously helped us out," Barnes Arico said. "Were we more aggressive? No, I think we probably played the same."

BIG PICTURE

Michigan: The Wolverines dropped into a tie with Ohio State for fourth place in the Big Ten, adding extra weight to their upcoming matchup.

Indiana: The Hoosiers can clinch a share of the Big Ten title with a win over Purdue on Sunday.

BIGGER THAN BASKETBALL

Michigan's staff and players wore Michigan State shirts with green hearts on them after the shooting that occurred in East Lansing this week.

"What happened close to home was really crushing this week," Barnes Arico said. "Being a coach and being a mom ... it hits close to home. I can't imagine what the Michigan State family is feeling right now."

TIP-INS

Holmes blocked five shots, moving into second place in program history with 198. ... Berger got her 534th career assist, moving into second in Indiana history behind Tyra Buss.

UP NEXT

Indiana hosts in-state rival Purdue in its penultimate game of the regular season on Sunday (TV: Live on BTN at noon).

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SUMMONS

TO: Unknown Interest Holders of Brisbane Cemetery

THE STATE OF INDIANA to the above persons named as Defendants and any other persons who may be concerned.

YOU ARE NOTIFIED that you have been sued in the court above named by the persons named as Plaintiff. The nature of the suit is a Complaint to Quiet Title wherein Plaintiff seeks to quiet title to the subject real estate (legal description below) in the name of Carol Pinckney by reason of possession. The whereabouts of unknown heirs of Edith Brisbane Burke and Mary Jane Tietsort Rinehart are unknown.

Address: 2026 Ridgewood Drive, Madison, Indiana 47250
Parcel No.: 39-08-26-224-001.000-007
Lot No. 27, Sunrise Falls Estates, First Addition, an Addition to the City of Madison, Indiana, as shown by Plat recorded April 22, 1965, in Plat Book 1, Page 24A, in the Recorder's Office, Jefferson County, Indiana.

Being and intended to be a part of the real estate which was subdivided by Grantor herein, and which was conveyed to Grantor by Emma Louise Stephan, et al., by Deed dated June 18, 1964, and recorded in Deed Record 136, Page 119, Recorder's Office, Jefferson County, Indiana.

Lot No. 27 is commonly known as the Brisben, "Brisbane" graveyard which was reserved by John Brisben, "Brisbane" by Warranty Deed dated April 14, 1873 and recorded in Deed Record 38, Page 79, Recorder's Office, Jefferson County, Indiana.

Said lots shall be preserved forever as a private burial ground under the laws of the State of Indiana.

Grantee herein is the direct descendant of said John Brisben, "Brisbane."

You must answer the Complaint to Quiet Title in writing by you or your attorney within thirty (30) days after the last notice of this action is published and if you fail to do so title to subject real estate should be quieted in the name of Carol Pinckney.

The name and address of the attorney for Plaintiff is Devon M. Sharpe, of Jenner, Pattison, & Sharpe, 508 East Main Street, Madison, Indiana, 47250, Telephone: (812) 265-5132.

Dated at Madison, Indiana, on 2/7/2023.
Tabatha Eblen
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Jefferson County Indiana
hspaxlp

LEGAL

STATE OF INDIANA)
IN THE JEFFERSON CIRCUIT COURT
) SS:
COUNTY OF JEFFERSON)
CAUSE NUMBER: 39C01-2206-JC-000028

IN THE MATTER OF:
PT - DOB 1/7/2022
A CHILD ALLEGED TO BE A CHILD IN NEED OF SERVICES

AND
CHASITI TURNER (BIOLOGICAL MOTHER) AND ANY UNKNOWN ALLEGED FATHERS

SUMMONS FOR SERVICE BY PUBLICATION & NOTICE OF CHILD IN NEED OF SERVICES HEARING

TO: Any Unknown Alleged Father Whereabouts unknown

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to Any Unknown Alleged Fathers, whose whereabouts are unknown, that the Indiana Department of Child Services has filed its Verified Petition Alleging the child to be in Need of Services, in accordance with I.C. 31-34-9-3, and that an adjudication hearing has been scheduled with the Court.

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the Judge of the Jefferson Circuit Court, 300 East Main Street, Madison, IN 47250-3537 - 812-265-8930 for a(n) Initial Hearing on 4/27/2023 at 10:30 AM.

At said hearing, the Court will consider the Petition and evidence thereon and will render its decision as to whether the above named minor child is child in need of services and shall enter adjudication accordingly. Your failure to appear after lawful notice will be deemed as your default and waiver to be present at said hearing.

UPON ENTRY OF SAID ADJUDICATION, A DISPOSITIONAL HEARING will be held in which the Court will consider (1) Alternatives for the care, treatment, or rehabilitation for the child; (2) The necessity, nature, and extent of your participation in the program of care, treatment, or rehabilitation for the child; and (3) Your financial responsibility for any services provided for the parent, guardian or custodian of the child including child support.

YOU MUST RESPOND by appearing in person or by an attorney within thirty (30) days after the last publication of this notice, and in the event you fail to do so, an adjudication on said petition, judgment by default may be entered against you, or the court may proceed in your absence, without further notice.

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Hield helps Pacers rally from 24 down to beat Bulls

BY PHILLIP B. WILSON
ASSOCIATED PRESS

INDIANAPOLIS — Buddy Hield made six 3-pointers in the second half and finished with 27 points, helping the Indiana Pacers rally from a 24-point deficit after the first quarter and defeat the Chicago Bulls 117-113 on Wednesday night.

Hield broke Reggie Miller's single-season franchise record for 3-pointers on his final 3 — his 230th — with 22 games remaining.

"It's the new NBA. You shoot 3s and I shoot 3s at a high level," said Hield, the NBA leader. "Passing a legend like Reggie in Indiana is a testament to hard work and my teammates finding me in the right spots."

Tyrese Haliburton banked in a 9-foot shot for a 113-112 lead in the final minute, Myles Turner sank two free throws and Hield closed it out with a pair of foul shots with 7.1 seconds remaining as the Pacers snapped a five-game skid.

"The pattern in a lot of NBA games is you get hit in the face and then you fight back," Pacers coach Rick Carlisle said. "Fighting back is a tough way to consistently win in this league."

The Pacers, down 39-15 after the first quarter, have trailed by double digits in the opening quarter of 24 games.

"We don't want to be coming back all the time," Hield said. "It's annoying."

Aaron Nesmith scored 21 points for Indiana, which had lost 16 of 18. Turner added 17, Haliburton 16 and Bennedict Mathurin 14.

"We were dangerously close in the first quarter to being booed by the greatest fans in the NBA," Carlisle said. "We responded."

The Bulls' Zach LaVine scored 35 points, including 12 in the opening quarter.

"This has happened a lot to us," Bulls coach Billy Donovan said. "We compete pretty hard, but what happens is the game gets ratcheted up — physically, mentally, emotionally. You've got to be able to come down on both ends of the floor and be incredibly detailed and focused. You have to execute."

James White had 25 and Nikola Vucevic added 19 — but with just seven rebounds as his league-best streak of double-doubles ended at nine games as the Bulls dropped their fifth straight.

"The game is not won in the first five minutes," Donovan said. "You've got to play your way through."

TIP-INS

Bulls: Had beaten the Pacers in four of five meetings. ... Had averaged just 93.5 points in the previous four losses.

Pacers: Eighth-year pro T.J. McConnell made his sixth start while replacing rookie Andrew Nembhard in the backcourt. McConnell had seven assists, but just two points on free throws.

UP NEXT

The Pacers host the Boston Celtics on Thursday, Feb. 23 (TV: Live on Bally Sports at 7 p.m.).

Gueye, Rodman lead Washington State over Oregon State

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

PULLMAN, Wash. — Mouhamed Gueye scored 21 points, DJ Rodman added 18 and Washington State hit eight straight 3-pointers to start the game in an 80-62 victory over Oregon State on Thursday night.

Gueye sank all nine of his shots and added four assists for the Cougars (12-15, 7-9 Pac-12 Conference). Rodman made 7 of 12 shots and grabbed four rebounds. TJ Bamba had 14 points and Andrej Jakimovski scored 13 with eight rebounds. Rodman and Jakimovski both made four 3-pointers.

Tyler Bilodeau came off the bench to score 18 points and grab five rebounds for the Beavers (10-17, 4-12). Reserve Michael Rataj pitched in with 11 points and six boards.

Rodman, Jakimovski and Justin Powell all had two 3-pointers in Washington State's run of eight straight makes. Gueye and Bamba nailed the other two as the Cougars grabbed a 28-12 lead with 11:55 remaining in the first half. Gueye had 14 points on 6-of-6 shooting and WSU led 44-30 at intermission.

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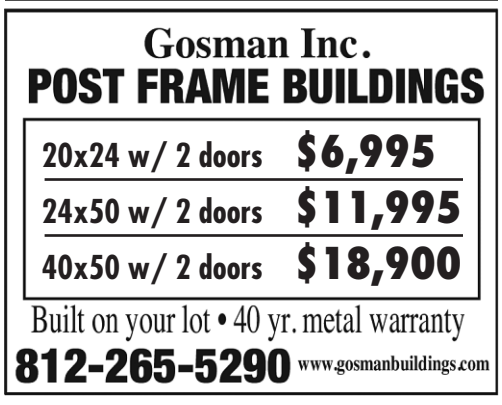

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